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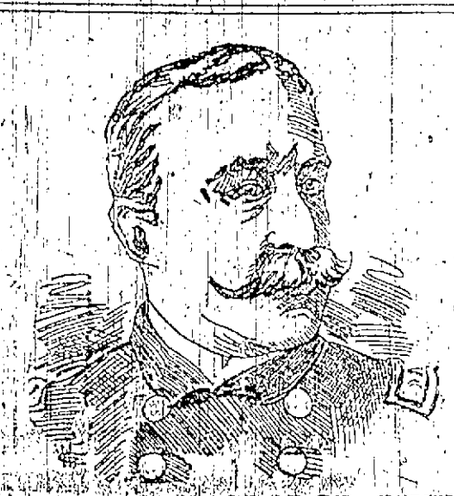
# A TOTTERING GOVERNMENT FEARS ENEMIES WITHIN ITS OWN BORDERS.

## [illegible] the Naval Hero Wants Troops to Hold His Gain [illegible] Can Have Them Sent Immediately.



COMMODORE GEORGE DEWEY.

Commodore George Dewey, who has charge of the Asiatic squadron, was born in Montpelier, Vt. He entered the Navy Academy in 1854, and was on the gunboat Mississippi as Lieutenant from 1861 to 1863. Later at the battle of Fort Fisher, he served on the gunboat Agawam. He was executive officer of the Kearsarge after the work. In 1884 he was assigned to the Dolphin as Captain, and has held various positions in the Navy Yard. He has been in the Asiatic Squadron several months.

Washington, May 3. The day passed without a single word from the American fleet in the Philippines and in view of the long continued interruption in the communication, the officials are beginning to resign themselves to the belief that they must wait for official news which at best arrives at Hong Kong.

This will not necessarily be a naval vessel, for it is not believed that Commodore Dewey, who will be admiral as soon as he can be reached by cable, could have spared any of his ships--even the McCulloch, to carry dispatches before the bombardment.

In ordinary times there is plenty of communication by steamers, as well as by cable vessels, between the Philippines and the main land and the officials will hesitate surprised if some news is not received by those means, by tomorrow.

Commodore Dewey wants troops to hold what he may gain if the Philippines are to be sent as many as he needs dispatched from San Francisco and it is very likely that state volunteers will make up the quota.

The cabinet talked about this today and is only waiting to hear from Commodore Dewey as to what he wants. Meanwhile the plans of the Cuban campaign are being steadily developed, and there is no indication of a change of purpose on the part of the military authorities, who are expected to launch an expedition against Cuba in a very short time.

STEADILY MAINTAINING BLOCKADE.

Admiral Sampson, so far as the navy department knows, is steadily maintaining the blockade of the Cuban coast and there is not likely to be abandoned for the present, though two or three of his ships may be sent away temporarily to meet the Oregon on her way to Cuba from Rio de Janeiro.

While the officials of the navy department naturally feel a warm interest in the career of the magnificent battleship now on the continent, they profess to feel little anxiety as to the outcome, notwithstanding the current talk of an effort on the part of the Spanish flying squadron to get off the Oregon.

The vessel sailed from Rio on a course known only to the captain, and the chances of being overtaken on the high seas are very small. Even should the Spanish vessels fall in with her it is by no means certain notwithstanding their numbers that she would be defeated by the combined Spanish force, as her armament, armor and ordnance are superior in every respect, size and quality to those of the Spanish ships.

CALM AND RESOLUTE.

London, May 3. According to special dispatches received here from Rome this afternoon the queen regent of Spain has telegraphed the Pope on the subject of the defeat of the Spanish fleet at Manila, saying:

"The Spanish nation is calm, but resolute to resist to the bitter end. Her Majesty also begs the pontiff to bless the Spanish arms."

DECIDED TO AWAIT DEWEY'S REPORT.

Washington, May 3. The cabinet meeting today resulted in a decision to await the report from Commodore Dewey, and then to send him the number of troops he deems necessary to enforce the control of the Philippines.

The administration has practically decided to occupy the Philippines, with strong military forces as soon as possible after Commodore Dewey's report, which is expected to arrive [illegible] been received.

For this purpose Pacific slope troops will be used, and it is expected that at least 5,000 will be sent within the next ten days.

IS WEYLER AUTHORITY.

Madrid, May 3 noon. An article written by Gen. Weyler has appeared in a newspaper at Palma, capital of the Island of Majorca, where Gen. Weyler was born and where his home is situated. The general says that if the government had been prepared, Spain would now be covered with glory. Continuing, Gen. Weyler says that the Spanish army and navy are superior in discipline to the Yankees, whose lack of discipline was manifested by the loss of the Maine.

Gen. Weyler then accuses the Spanish government of weakness and concludes with making pessimistic predictions regarding the future.

NO NEWS AT HONG KONG.

Hong Kong, May 3. No news of any description in regard to the battle of Manila has been received here, with the exception of the information cabled here from London.

The leading traders here are hoping, provisionally, to administer the Philippine Islands under American protection, but there are endless dissensions among the insurgents at Hong Kong.

ALARMING STATE OF THINGS.

New York, May 3. The steamer Tyrian from Ponce, Porto Rico, April 23, arrived here this morning. She brings nine cabin passengers. They report an alarming state of things at Ponce. The city was under martial law and the American and British residents almost in a state of panic. Provisions were very high and scarce. The British cruiser Talbot was doing all in his power to protect American lives and property.

PATRIOTIC FEELING INCREASING.

London, May 3. The Queen Regent and the cabinet have agreed that the Cortes should continue in session.

"Senor Salmeron" is given notice that he will intercalate the government to pursue the war to the bitter end.

"It is rumored that Senor Gasset will propose that the present minister of marine, Admiral Bermejo, and his predecessor, Admiral Beranger, be forced to assume responsibility for the Philippine disaster.

The patriotic feeling is increasing. The Spanish officials say that when Commodore Dewey demanded the surrender of the Spanish guns, etc., Gov. General Augusti replied:

"Come and face them."

BEFORE CABLE WAS CUT.

London, May 3. A special dispatch from Madrid says the Spanish colonial office has received one of the regular mail steamers from Manila before the cable was cut, while at Manila.

Thus far no American ships have entered the town proper, which is strongly protected.

The forces are also said to have reached Cavite, where a few houses were burned.

The batteries of the citadel, especially the six large guns, are reported replying to the American fire and have inflicted considerable damage on the fleet.

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## Circumstances Indicate Cutting Was Done by Spanish Officials to Stop News From Entering Madrid.

Washington, May 3. The French embassy is the only foreign establishment in Washington which has received official despatches on the battle of Manila. These came from the French embassador at Madrid and were drawn from Spanish reports.

It was stated from Berlin that the foreign office there had cabled reports to all the German embassies, but the German embassy there had not received a word on the subject up to a late hour today.

The British, Spanish, and German governments have consulates at Manila, but the cable interruption cuts them off from any communication with their government.

The lack of news is a source of much speculation. A leading diplomat said circumstances would indicate that the cutting had been done by Spanish officials, on instructions from Madrid, in order to stop the transmission of further news of the disaster there and in that way calm the storm of popular indignation at Madrid.

It is thought to have been impossible for Commodore Dewey to have cut the cable, as he was unacquainted with its location fifty miles seaward and moreover there appears to have been no motive for the interruption of cable communication on his part.

FALL OF MANILA.

Repeated rumors were afloat during the day to the effect that the British embassy had been advised of the fall of Manila just before the cable communication broke.

At five o'clock this evening Sir Julian Pauncefote declared that he had absolutely no such information.

The Cuban authorities were expect to receive early information direct from the camp of Gen. Gomez, brought by Gen. Nunez, who left here about ten days ago and succeeded in landing with his party and making his way to Gomez' camp. The party was a small one and the journey along many supplies but its main purpose was to open communication with Gomez and bring word on to his resources and conditions for an aggressive movement.

Officials of the Cuban delegation say Gen. Nunez is likely to come out to one of the American warships on his return trip and thence to Key West, to make reports to the authorities here. Secretary Albertini is Cuban charge d'affaires at present. President Palma and Secretary Cassado are in New York.

## INTENSE DISSATISFACTION.

Madrid, May [illegible]. The proclamation of Martial Law has caused much dissatisfaction, it being declared unnecessary unless the government has information of a secret conspiracy.

Groups of people which gather around the spots where the martial law proclamation is posted, promptly disperse, laughing when they read the article prohibiting public gatherings.

## CABINET CRISIS IMMINENT.

London, May [illegible]. Special from Madrid says a total cabinet crisis is imminent, probably will end in considerable modification of present government. Possibly tend to formation of national ministry under Presidency of Campos. Parliament certain to be closed soon.

## WOULD PREFER DON CARLOS.

London May 4. Madrid Special says country opposes idea of republic. Indonesian of the republic in 1873. Would prefer Don Carlos to such a change.

## END OF REGENCY BEGUN.

London, May 4. Special despatch from Brussels says high Spanish [illegible] declares Spain practically in state of revolution. End of regency begun.

## Spain Intends to Throw Her Entire Naval Force on Our Navy.

London, May 3. The Madrid correspondent of the Evening News cables the following message to his paper:

"Although Premier Sagasta's conferences with the Queen Regent and liberal leaders, Montero and Rios, led to rumors of the formation of a national government, the facts are that Senor Sagasta placed the situation before the Queen Regent explaining that the significance of the events in the Philippine Islands indicated certain possible solutions for the future. Thereupon the Queen expressed continued confidence in the government, which will continue for the present as now constituted.

Senators Gamazo and Montero express the opinion that the present cabinet should continue in power.

"The ministers met at Sagasta's residence yesterday morning, and the premier communicated to them the result of his interview with the Queen Regent.

The despatch announcing that Spain will pursue the war with greater vigor indicates that it is even strident Madrid by those who are responsible for the naval movements, that it has been determined to avoid isolated combats on unequal terms and with a superior enemy, and that they now intend to throw with whole united naval strength of Spain into one supreme effort to crush the American squadron in Cuban waters.

Continuing, the special says: "Until this engagement is fought no proposal for intervention will be listened to."

## Spain Wishes to Reassure Her Strength in Another Battle.

Madrid, May 3. 8 A. M. The proclamation of martial law issued by the governor general expressly prohibits the publication of any news concerning the war or movements of the ships of the Spanish navy. The city of Madrid is quiet today, and things have assumed their normal aspect.

The principal newspapers advocate calmness, so as to avoid any unpatriotic spectacle of disturbance when "Spain's united energies are required to avenge her recent losses."

Much attention centers in today's debates in the chamber and senate which will be raised by the Republicans and Carlists, who propose to hold the government responsible for the country's present position.

Although the position of certain members of the cabinet is regarded as untenable [illegible] matter of dignity to find them under the present circumstances. All classes are demanding that a strong military attitude be taken up by them capable of coping with the present situation.

Nobody will listen to a proposal of peace until Spain has had another chance of measuring her strength with that of the United States.

## CANADIAN TALKS.

Madrid, May 3. In the House of Deputies today, Senor Canalejas, editor of El Heraldo said it was preferable to give Cuba independence rather than embark on a foreign war without proper preparation.

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## WAR CREDITS.

Madrid, May 3 In parliament today, Sagasta, in a determined reply to criticism, declared it imperative that the Spaniards show themselves energetic and united. In the name of soldiers and the fatherland he begged the chamber to adopt necessary war credits.

## TURKEY NEUTRAL.

Constantinople, May 3. Turkey has notified United States Minister Angell that she will maintain neutrality.

## GREEK VOLUNTEERS.

Constantinople May 3. The U. S. legation received two thousand offers of volunteers in the American navy, chiefly Greeks. Some declare they will pay their own passages in gratitude for American aid in the Greek war of independence.

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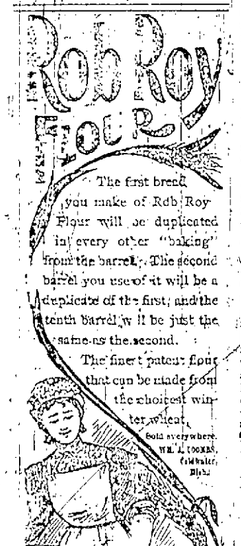


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## BASE BALL ON TUESDAY.

Pawtucket, 3. Lowell, 2. May 3. The Pawtuckets won today. On account of the inability of New Bedford to fit McCarthy upon Saturday. The feature was the batting of News of the home team, who got a couple of terrific home runs.

Scored:

Pawtucket 3, 0
New Bedford, 2, 0
Batteries, McGafferty, and Bergen; Sechrist and Wiley.

GAME TWO NOT PLAYED.

New York, May 3. The Brooklyn and Philadelphia team started to play two games this afternoon. The first was called in the 4th inning for the latter drawn in order to get out of the second game were played while Umpire Connolly was on the game on account of darkness. The score in that time was 2-2 to 0-in favor of Philadelphia. Attendance 1,000.

Brooklyn, 0.
Philadelphia, 0.

Batteries, Kennedy and Ryan; Dugdeby and McFarland.

PITCHER WAS WILD.

Washington, May 3. Another war will at the beginning of today's game and this together with errors gave the victory to Boston. Hoyt was batting hitless. Attendance 1,200. Score:

Boston, 6.
Washington, 5.
Batteries, Willis and Yeager; Arnold and McGuire.

SUPPORT WAS SLOW.

Pittsburg, May 3. Gardner pitched a good game and helped the position well, but his support was slow. The Pittsburgh Pirates won the first game in a fast and quick. Attendance 2000. Score:

Cincinnati, 5.
Pittsburg, 7.
Batteries, Dwyer and Peitz; Gardner and Schriver.

BRIGGS WAS POUNDED.

Chicago, May 3. The Colonels pounded Briggs all over the field in the sixth and eighth game, and it an almost lost game out of the fire. Weather was cold. Attendance 607. Score:

Louisville 10, Score.
Chicago 6.
Batteries, Magey, Wilson and Dexter; Briggs and Donahue.

GETS THEM BOTH.

Cleveland, May 3. Cleveland and St. Louis played two games this afternoon over about a hundred people to see. Score and weather's names. The weather was cool. Score, first game:

Cleveland 3.
St. Louis 2.
Batteries, Young and Zimmer; Eagles and Clements.

SECOND GAME.

Cleveland 3.
St. Louis 2.
Batteries, McAllister and Zimmer; Bachoff and Sugden.

## LANCHARD CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER

Washington, May 3. The problem of successfully handling the large number of volunteer soldiers now assembling all parts of the country, preparatory to concentration in the south for the advance on Cuba has been met by the war department by the selection of Major H. Blanchard, president of the Soldiers' association, as chief executive officer of the militia branch of the government.

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## Naval Orders. Graceful Chinese Government for Filipino Proclamation. After Battle.

Washington, May 5. The proclamation of recognition of the Spanish freedoms of the United States by the State Department has not yet been issued, nor is it certain that it will issue, that probably depending on the course pursued by the Spanish government in its treatment of American citizens in Spain.

NO PLACE OPEN.

China has a big naturalistic application today, so there is now no place left on the Asiatic coast open to or free use of the war vessels of either Spain or the United States.

This is remarkable in that China has never before landed a neutral by proclamation, and the naval officers are grateful for the consideration shown by the Chinese government in withholding the issue of the decree until informed that the American fleet had acquired a base in the Philippine Islands.

HOSPITAL SHIP BOUGHT.

The navy bought a hospital ship today for the benefit of the troops going to Cuba. Commissary General Eagan purchased the Seneca, formerly a Cunard steamship, which is to be refitted within as many months.

Reports received at the Navy Department from Admiral Sampson show that the naval force was roughly handled by the storm while passing the long point to Key West. Four Leaguelike ships' decks were swept and frequent decks were turned by the disastrous wash of water of the high structure.

## REVOLUTIONARY ASPECT

(Continued from first page.)

son in Spanish politics. Polo Bonau and the foreign minister have issued pamphlets calling attention to their respective policies.

His party is composed of a few persons of the very high standing. Moreover, everyone recognizes that Weyler's recipe for Cuban autonomy is nothing else than a sham. Besides these considerations, largely contributed to bring about the present riot, of which the whole has all good elements to exploit, viz: the public misery due to the long war, the indifference of the army, which is always likely to intervene but only upon absolutely sufficient reasons.

The country encourages the opposition of a republic. The people prefer 1000 times anything to submit to Queen Regent and possible Sagasta Government. The secret is that the town is full of Republicans, who, in fact, represent the intelligence of the country.

Military elements probably come next, probably be under the Queen Regent and possibly Gen. Martinez Campos. Even Gen. Weyler has more partisans than Gen. Weyler. Said a distinguished person, taken as foreign opinion, the predominating opinion of the country with full power."

## SECTION IN THE CORTES

Madrid, May 3. The riots and gatherings of the Cortes (lower house) were crowded at today's sitting, still extremely serious excited. Senor Salmeron insisted that before questioning the government, that house ought to pass a bill of adjournment to Saturday, which was agreed to. Attendance 220. Score:

Boston, 6.
Washington, 5.
Batteries, Willis and Yeager; Arnold and McGuire.

## SPANISH RAVINGS.

Madrid, May 3. In the senate admiral Bonifaz made an eloquent eulogy of the seamen who had died at Manila, offered his services to the government unconditionally.

Senor Cano severely protested against the bombardment of Manila, how involved the feature of Spanish ships in the United States vessels, and the war Minister and conduct in consenting to proclaim Dewey declared fund characterized.

Senor Capedon in spite of the fact, existing that a state of siege had been declared whereas captain of month had sought to turn the affairs of the country to their own advantage by trying to harass political passions.

Marshal Campos offered the government his unconditional support.

Many others followed the government in unconditional support.

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## NO DEFENSE AT MANILA

Madrid, May 3. During the debate in the house today, Senor Lerroux, the Cortes' orator, after dispatch from Manila to the effect that no kind of defence exists at there, Gen. Correa, minister of war, declared that cruelty would never set foot in Manila, the garrison was strong enough to repulse them without any help, and declared the technical impossibility of establishing defences in Manila bay.

Senor Sagasta declared that the plaintiff Dayton did not deserve the praise of Senor Sa moron bestowed on him. Dayton, he said, was not the representative of the United States, as a republic, he said, spent a compact toward Spain in possession of a debt that the world had never seen before. It does not dare make war face to face, it seeks by indirect means to do Spain an injury. I am certain the United States would be pleased to see an uprising provoked in Spain by the republicans.

Madrid, May 3. Advices received from Cuba say that the Spanish reinforcements, Capt. Lopez, en have or the capture, for which was telegraphed results say was conveyed to

## PROVISION DEWEY'S FLEET

Washington, May 3. There does not seem to be any doubt as to the government's purpose to hold the Philippine Islands pending a final settlement with Spain, when they will be used as a collateral to secure the payment by the United States of a war indemnity.

As indicated in Secretary Long's recommendation for an emergency appropriation, that government will take steps at once to supply Commodore Dewey's fleet with provisions and other supplies.

The bill for forward will put waiting a decision of the question as to whether troops shall be sent but to relieve the commodore of the necessity of so doing Manila will come from his fleet.

Although without confirmation from any official source, the naval officials are disposed to attach some credit to the statement coming from Paris that at the last accounts from Manila the American fleet was firing upon Corregidor Island.

This is a fortress at the entrance to the harbor of Manila, and is about 23 miles below the city.

## LIEUTENANT WOUNDED.

Mobile, Ala., May 3. Second Sergeant Hugh C. Ellis, Company K, Birmingham Rifles, was shot and fatally wounded in Camp Clark, of the state volunteers, today by Private Reeves. Thousands of troops and many of them are cheering the negro and he caught he will probably die lynched.

## CORRESPONDENT PASSES.

Washington, May 3. One hundred and thirty passes giving permission to correspondents of newspapers to accompany the army, have so far been issued by Secretary Alger. One of them went to A. S. K. B. Watkins, representing a Toronto newspaper, and is the only one issued up to this time to a woman. Many other applications have been filed with the secretary.

## WE'LL MOVE THURSDAY.

Salem, Mass., May 3. A meeting of the company commanders of Col. Pew's volunteer regiment was held at the headquarters of the eighth regiment this afternoon and all arrangements were made to move the command Thursday for camp.

The 6th regiment is expected to arrive in Boston at about 10 o'clock and will form on Lowell street, the right resting on Causeway, and then march down the city, passing the state house a marching salute will be given to the commander-in-chief.

## GUNBOAT CASTINE.

### CAPTURES A PRIZE.

Key West, Fla., May 3. The United States gunboat Castine, Commander R. M. Berry, brought in this morning a small schooner, the two masted fishing schooner A. Louis Y. Pasco, having on board 5 men of fish. The Pasco was captured yesterday off Marisi, while bound for Havana. Only one black shot was necessary to chase the little captive to heave to, and the vessel towed in here.

The United States cruiser Marblehead, Commander B. H. McCalla, has not yet arrived here with the Spanish steamer Argonauta, captured by the Nashville off Sidney Bar.

The Argonauta is regarded as being one of the most important captures made since the outbreak of hostilities. She is to Key West by the United States cruiser Marblehead, the afternoon.

It appears that Col. Vincente Cuesta of the Spanish army, who with 13 other army officers were taken on the prize, is a brother-in-law of Lieut. Gen. Weyler. Col. de Cortijo denies this but it is learned from good authority that he sustains this relationship to the former governor-general of Cuba. His capture are, meanwhile, stated.

Col. de Cortijo and the other officers were transferred to the Cuesta and the private to the Ambrosio Bolivar, two other trophies of the first week of the war that are still lying in the harbor.

The Argonauta herself is no mean prize, being of a thousand tons burden, but the value of the captured lies mainly in the character of war and the material going to Gen. Blanco. Her cargo is general merchandise with a large amount of army supplies and ammunition supplied for the Spanish troops in Cuba.

She was captured off Cienfuegos on Friday after a chase.

## LIVELY INTERCHANGE OF SHOTS

between the Cristino Marblehead, the gunboat Castine, the auxiliary cruiser Eagle of the mosquito fleet and two Spanish torpedo boats and one torpedo boat destroyer.

The only other incoming prize today was the little fishing schooner Antonio y Pasco taken by the gunboat Newport off Mariel Tuesday and towed in by the gunboat Castine. The Castine has proven her prowess as well as the more formidable ships of the squadron. At 9 o'clock Sunday morning she sent into Cabanas and discovered off the fortification about a mile distant which is apparently a composite fort and block house. Then she sent her steam cutter in about half a mile until she was within 1,000 yards of the fort. There the cutter's crew, sounding and observations for half an hour or more, after which she returned to the ship unmolested. A number of men on Cuban dress observed about the fort. They watched the operations with apparent interest but offered no hostile sign.

Two unfortunate accidents, though of a minor character, have occurred on the ships during the last few days. While the torpedo boat Foote was firing at Marianao a sergeant of marines dropped his pistol, which exploded, the bullet striking Wm. Taylor, first class apprentice, and passing through his stomach and lungs. Taylor's condition is serious but he has a chance of recovery.

This morning while the crew of the cruiser Cincinnati were drilling in the harbor a shell, for mixed with dummy cartridges and 37 Stomax, gunner's mate, was shot through the left leg.

The 680 marines who arrived on the Panther a few days ago will be transferred to the Resolute, which is shortly expected from New York. The Panther will then be made into an auxiliary cruiser. In the party of Cubans who left here last night for Tampa to join the regulars and move with them to Cuba, was one American who will take a prominent part in the island's struggle for freedom. He is Louis W. Mohun, of Washington, a brother of Paymaster Philip W. Mohun, of the navy, now at Key West. He is an expert civil engineer and will act as first lieutenant on the staff of Gen. Nunez. He recently returned from Central America, where he was a member of the Nicaragua canal commission surveying and exploring party.

## CONGRESS

### The Queen's Message is Couched in Warlike Language.

Madrid, May 3. In the congress today a "resolution of homage" in honor of those killed in the naval engagement off Cavite was adopted unanimously. The message from the Queen Regent was then adopted, the republicans, Carlists and conservatives voting in the negative.

The proclamation is couched in warlike language, beginning:

"Whereas Spain, finding herself at war with the United States, the power of the civil authorities in Spain is suspended.

"Whereas, it is necessary to prevent any instrument of the patriotic efforts which are being made by the nation with much energy and veritable enthusiasm.

"Article 1—A state of seige in Madrid is hereby proclaimed.

"Article 2—In consequence of Article 1, all offenses against public order, those of press included, will be tried by the military tribunals.

"Article 8—In Article 2, are included offences committed by those who without special authority shall publish news relative to any operations of war whatsoever."

## SUBJECTS AT PHILIPPINES.

The official account of Capt. Gen. Augusti's communication to us to the offer of the British consul at Manila to place all subjects in the Philippines under the protection of the British flag, says:

"Capt. Gen. Augusti wired that the British consul called upon him to say that he would take the Chinese subjects in the Philippines under the British flag in order to safeguard their lives and property. The captain general added that a number of rich and influential Chinese at Manila had secured action, but they were satisfied with the protection of Spain. Senor Mirot, secretary of the colonies, replied to Captain General Augusti that there was no reason to accept the protectorate which the British consul wished to exercise. The British consul's offer had been communicated to the powers."

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The proclamation is couched in warlike language, beginning:

"Whereas Spain, finding herself at war with the United States, the power of the civil authorities in Spain is suspended.

"Whereas, it is necessary to prevent any instrument of the patriotic efforts which are being made by the nation with much energy and veritable enthusiasm.

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## HOSPITAL SHIP CHARTERED.

Washington, May 3. Through the efforts of Assistant Secretary Mc Kelhon and Surgeon General Sternberg the war department has chartered the steel ship Vigilancia to be used as a floating hospital to accompany the army when it undertakes the occupation of Cuba.

## MAY HAVE ACTIVE COMMAND.

Tampa, Fla., May 3. It is now almost certain that Brig. Gen. Wade will have active command of the United States troops in the field in Cuba. Both Generals Wade and General Shafter will, it is said, accompany the expedition, but the latter, although the ranking general, will not direct the movement of troops in the field. It is hardly possible that the forces will be actually on shore before the first of next week, but four of the necessary transports are as yet on hand.

## TURKEY NEUTRAL.

Constantine, May 3. The Porte has notified U. S. Minister Angell that Turkey will maintain strict neutrality in the war between Spain and the United States.

The American legation has received more than 2000 offers of volunteers for the American navy, chiefly of Greeks, some of whom have offered their services freely and others to pay their fare to the United States in grateful remembrance of America's aid in the Greek war of independence.

## 'DOWN WITH THE QUEEN."

London, May 4. A special dispatch from Madrid this forenoon says:

"In the end Madrid nights were many scenes of anarchy. The mobs were formed by inciting the people to attack the ministers' residences and were loud in their calls for the existence of Weyler. There is no doubt these men desired to provoke the government into bring upon the mob and so get rid in this way of the revolt. Some of them were arrested but were subsequently released, the government fearing to let it become known that only a few of the more formidable were in the mob. While the streets were thus occupied great surprise was manifested at the ominous silence and at the fact that we were not forgotten time, but only busy, and there was consequently no need of a stronger force to put down the disturbance. This quiet on the part of the police drove them in force.

"Two infantry companies and a squadron of cavalry were then ordered out and charged the mob, dispersing them in all directions. The streets were cleared within a few minutes and that the shots were different from those used by the rioters, being for explosive projectiles.

"It was learned could have driven them before since then, because the wind has been off the land and no steamers are due. From Philippine Islands before tomorrow night, which would be likely to alter either of the combatants in the event of a battle.

## THE ERICSSON FIRED UPON.

Key West, Fla., May 3. The torpedo boat Ericsson reports that while reconnoitering near the shore about 8 miles west of Havana she was fired upon by a body of soldiers, both cavalry and infantry.

She reported to the ships of the fleet and was promptly signalled to get out of the line of fire.

The gunboat Wilmington then opened fire and sent in several shots but with what effect it is not as yet known

## Moody Dry Goods Co.

Four High Grade Wrapper Lots Have Received Marching Orders. You Can Make No Mistake Here. You Would Pay Nearly Half as Much Again for Any of the Following Lots and Think Them Cheap.

Wrappers, extra length, yoke back, sleeves ruffled front, lined waist, three yards wide skirt, handsome new designs. ..... Sale price 69c

Wrappers, made of the best Percale, stylish patterns, braided shoulder caps and cuffs, braided yoke back and front, lined waist and full width and length. ..... Sale price $1.25

This Wrapper has been one of our most popular sellers. Made of fine Zephyr Gingham, fast colors, braid shoulder caps and cuffs, with deep ruffling, lined waist, full length, skirt 3 3-8 yards wide with double plaited back. ..... Sale price $1.49

At $1.69 we show nothing but worthy styles, made from worthy weaves, deep ruffled and braided yoke back and front, beaded cuffs, ruffled shoulder caps, lined waist, 38 inches long, width of skirt 3½ yards and garment looks elegant. ..... Sale price, $1.69

THAT BUSY GARMENT ROOM.

We planned for business this spring as we have never planned before, and the logical result is we are getting it. More new lots for you to investigate. This means another week of busy buying.

READY-TO-WEAR SPRING SUITS.

All worry by tailor artists; fit, finish and materials first-class, and all the dressmakers' worry saved. There are some very pleasant price surprises in store for you here.

THE SILK WAISTS.

Is another made-up innovation that has met with the most marked public approval. Figure the cost of materials, the making, and wonder how these beautiful garments can be sold at such low prices.

THE MOODY DRY GOODS CO.
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## SPECIAL NOTICES.

Thousands Have, Why not you?

Cured their cold in 24 hours and less time with No. 3D Cold in Head. A guaranteed cure.

THE EAST SIDE PHARMACY CO.,
Cor. State and Harlow Sts.

ST. PAUL, MINN.,
6 PER CENT. BONDS
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To those desiring to reinvest in bonds of a first conservative nature we offer the benefit of our experience in making selection and will take the above named bonds in payment for any investment made through us.

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Geo. A. Abbott's
UP-TO-DATE
BARBER SHOP,

Four chairs, and each one presided over by an artist who knows his business. No long waits, and every customer goes away satisfied. Shop easy of access, on ground floor.

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BANGOR, MAINE.

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THE CONNECTICUT MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY.

The Connecticut Mutual takes for its single aim the one peculiar service which life insurance alone can render and which no other institution can rival: The perfect protection of the widow's family, at the lowest possible cost for cheapest, simplest, most thorough family protection. By clear foresight, care and economy at every point it has succeeded and does succeed in this purpose as none other has done or is doing. It secures the best and highest obtainable result from the prudent and unselfish policy holder's point of view, and to make sure of and to maintain these it steadily foresees those things for which others strive at much greater cost, to wit, rapid growth and enormous size; the very impressive, often startling, to the general eye, but which do not benefit the policy holder the slightest, and which can be had only at an enormous cost which he must pay.

E. N. FAIRBANKS,
GEN. AGENT,
67 MAIN STREET, BANGOR, ME.

FOR SALE—A solid yk. ox; three-quarters broke. Price $100. Inquire of Arthur Blake or J. W. Palmer, R. D. No. [illegible]



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## THE WHITE TELEPHONES

Editorial rooms—No. 224-2.
Counting room—No. 224-11.
Call the editorial rooms after 7 o'clock P. M.

On Tuesday James Bridge, of Five Islands, Aroostook county, was brought to Bangor jail, under sentence of 30 days in the United States Court in Portland. Bridge was arrested for selling liquor without a United States license.

On Tuesday afternoon Bert Ranco, who escaped from Bangor jail in October, just as he was beginning a six months' sentence for drunkenness was brought to this city by Officer Pickett, of Brewer, from Bucksport, where he was captured by Deputy Sheriff Glass of that town. Ranco was trusted in the jail and while doing some outside work decamped. He will serve 30 days.

The remains of Mrs. George H. Nutter were on Sunday removed to the receiving tomb. Burial services will be held at 2 P. M. Hope at 2.30 o'clock today.

Corp. Robert B. Robinson, of Co. N, C. S. M., and who is now with the company at Augusta, will receive during his term of service one-half pay from F. R. Savage & Co., in whose employ he was at the time of his enlistment.

## DEXTER NEWS.

Many Arrivals and Departures, Personal and Other Notes of Interest.

(Special to Weig and Courier.)

Dexter, May 3.—M. D. A. Champlin went to Dover, N. H., Tuesday, where he has employment.

Mrs. Ellie Derry went to Bangor Tuesday where she will visit friends.

Mrs. C. F. Barron has returned to Orono.

Dr. H. E. Field went to Etna Tuesday on a business trip.

A. R. Bodge returned to his work in Oakland Tuesday, after a short visit with his family in Dexter.

Rev. O. Hayward, who is to take Rev. J. F. Hussey's place as pastor of the M. E. church, was in town Monday looking over his new field of labor.

Miss Clara Crosby came to Dexter Monday evening, having called home from her studies at the New England Conservatory of Music, Boston, on account of the death of her brother.

Mrs. Clara P. Bisbee who has been spending the winter with her daughter, Mrs. H. K. Dinsmore, at Foxcroft, has returned to her home in Dexter.

Hon. W. H. Gault went to Skowhegan this morning.

The Penobscot Woolen Co. held their annual meeting on Tuesday and elected the old board of officers for the ensuing year, with S. S. Ireland, president; Walter Scott, vice president; W. H. Abbott, treasurer; O. F. Ireland, manager.

Mayor Weymouth of Guilford was in town Monday on a visit to his aged father, Mr. John Weymouth.

Daniel D. Flynt is in Augusta, visiting his children, C. L. Flynt and Burbee Flynt.

Leslie Curtis and James Mountain have been engaged by the town of Dexter to paint the Clarke-Hodgdon fountain, and work has already begun. The fountain will be situated near the Eastern Gazette office.

There was a large attendance at the annual meeting of the W. C. T. U. held at the Universalist vestry Tuesday afternoon. A number of new members joined. Mrs. D. B. Horsman was elected president, Mrs. F. A. Bradbury, secretary and treasurer. At the county convention soon to be held in Dexter it was voted that Mrs. Margaret D. Bills be speaker. Much enthusiasm is set in the Union work and the order is now making itself manifest in town.

An excellent supper was furnished which was well patronized. A pleasing concert and entertainment will be given this evening consisting of musical selections, recitations, selections by the graphophone.

## CAVALRY TROOP.

To Be Formed by Bangor Young Men.

Bangor is to have a cavalry troop. A number of Bangor young men of loyal spirit and who do not have to shun preparations for the formation of a company of cavalry for the war if necessary, met on Thursday evening, the 7.30 meeting at 5 o'clock at the armory of Co. C, N. G. S. M., on Court street to perfect plans.

A brief canvass has been made, showing twenty-two young men who have agreed to join the company and besides quite a number of students at Hampden Academy have signified a desire to become members. These with the others who would undoubtedly join when the opportunity is offered would make a good sized and efficient troop of cavalry.

All the young men who have thus far been approached have horses. The troop will be made up of riders who will join the troop with the idea of going to the front if they are called upon and all will go in on that basis. They have in view an instructor who knows the cavalry tactics and who will begin drilling them as soon as the troop is formed. Such a company even if it is not called upon for active service would be valuable as a home guard.

## AMUSEMENTS.

Joseph Haworth as "Hamlet."

CAST OF CHARACTERS.

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| Macbeth | Mr. Joseph Haworth |
| Duncan (King of Scotland) | Joseph Lentey |
| Malcolm | Robert Elliott |
| Donalbain (his son) | William Wilson |
| Banquo | Wadsworth Harris |
| Macduff | Lester Lonergan |
| Lenox | H. Gilmus Lonergan |
| Rosse | George Sylvester |
| Siyton | J. W. Dean |
| Sheppard | S. C. Halpin |
| Messenger | Harry Wood |
| Porter | John Ellsler |
| Planner | Miss Ann Kingsley |
| 1st Witch | Miss Anna Day |
| 2d Witch | Miss Grace Fisher |
| 3d Witch | Miss Ida Perkins |
| Gentlewoman | Miss Rose Butterworth |
| Lady Macbeth | Miss Bertha Galland |

Apparitions, Conspirators, Murderers, etc.

"Macbeth" was produced by Mr. Haworth and his excellent company last night at the Opera House as the second and concluding presentation of the engagement.

The powerful and weird play was staged in a manner which brought out the startling resources of the company's talent, and it was unfortunate that the audience was not larger, for the lovers of the Shakesperian drama who were not present would have found great satisfaction in the presentation which was highly dramatic, dignified and showed a thorough appreciation of psychological development.

Mr. Haworth was strong in the role of "Macbeth." He was at all times forceful without extravagance in voice, bearing or gestures and carried the part with a sense of dignity which was impressive. His method was natural and therefore very effective. The interpretation of Macbeth was handled with much artistic skill and the entire portrayal was one of genuine power.

The "Lady Macbeth" of Miss Galland again demonstrated the marked ability the possesses and which in a few years promises to put her in the front rank. The cubning of the part was portrayed with marked success and the emotional work was intensely realistic. The great sleeping walking scene was strongly dramatic and brought Miss Galland a well deserved curtain call.

Robert Elliott made a fine "Malcolm" and Lester Lonergan a capital "Macduff." Wadsworth Harris had the role of "Banquo" and right well did he fill its requirements. He possesses an excellent voice and talents which are steadily sounding him ahead dramatically. He is a Maine boy and a credit to Calais.

## "UNCLE TOM'S CABIN."

"Uncle Tom's Cabin" will be the attraction at the Opera House this afternoon and evening. Stowe's Company, which will present the piece, is said to be a strong one and has an extra accessories to the drama proper a band of colored jubilee singers, a troupe of African cake walkers and banjo players, a corps of black and white dancers, several Siberian bloodhounds, donkeys, ponies, two brass bands and a set of special spectacular scenery, including a genuine cotton gin prest in full operation, and a grand transformation scene, "Eva in Bower Elysian," with electrical effects. Matinee prices 10 and 20 cents. Night prices 10, 20 and 30 cents only. The parade will be at noon.

A Pullman sleeping car, a powerful one, from Mt. Desert Ferry to Bangor daily.

Medals are being made for the members of team 7, which was victorious in the Y. M. C. A. bowling tournament held during the winter. The team is composed of Smith, Sharpe, Wilson, Jacques and Barker.

The Christian Civic League of Maine will hold its annual meeting in Tuesday next, May 10 in the Y. M. C. A. building, morning, afternoon and evening.

The annual meeting of the Bangor Opera House Company was held on Tuesday afternoon and the old board of officers was re-elected.

## THE WEATHER.

CLOUDY, POSSIBLE SHOWERS.

Washington, May 3.—Forecast for Wednesday: New England and eastern New York, cloudy, warmer and possibly showers.

LOCAL FORECAST.

Boston, May 3.—Local forecast for Boston and vicinity for Wednesday: Continued cloudy weather, probably without rain, easterly winds, becoming variable.

## A DISAPPEARANCE.

Orrin A. Mann, April 28, 1898.—Carrie Davis by this place, states that she was troubled with severe pain in her head and eyes, and was also sick to her stomach. She began taking the well known medicine, Hood's Sarsaparilla, and the eruptions disappeared and her headache ceased. She says the benefit derived from Hood's Sarsaparilla is permanent.

## SENATE SESSION.

Warm Speech Fighting Among Democratic Members of the House—Private Bill Jobbery.

Washington, May 3. What promised to be an uneventful and uninteresting session of the House was suddenly changed after three hours' consideration of private bills into a session of spirited speechmaking, among Democratic members that savored much at times of acrimony. The storm was precipitated by Mr. Lewis (Dem., Wash.) who referred in the course of his speech to the recent vote of Mr. Cummings of New York in support of the revenue bill, with its incorporated bond feature. He made reference to Mr. Cummings' assertion that this period was a time for placing the country above the party, intimating that the New York member had served the Republican party, and perhaps certain interests, rather than the Democratic party. This brought an impassioned reply from Mr. Cummings interspersed with some sarcastic comments that intensified the interest and called an outpouring of members from the cloak rooms. Mr. Clark (Dem., Mo.) entered the hot and critical discussion by the six Democrats who had voted for the revenue bill on its last passage and questioned their Democracy. Messrs. Fitzgerald (Mass.) and McAleer (Penn.), two other Democrats who voted for the bill, were heard in defense of their votes and in refutation of the imputations of the Missouri member. Just before the recess, until the night session was taken, the leader of the Democrats, Mr. Bailey of Texas, spoke in deprecation of the speeches of the Democratic members, saying the subject to unnecessarily, influential of more serious difficulties within the party than really existed. He reviewed the record to show that no appreciable ground for such construction existed.

### PRIVATE BILLS.

Preceding this private bills the House disposed of a number of pension measures and then took up and put to pass the Richmond Locomotive and Machine Works' claim for $60,350 damages for losses incurred by the city by reason of governmental delay in preparing the battleship Texas for reception of much ware furnished by the claimants.

After a brief debate the bill was passed.

The House was advised of the Senate's action in passing a bill providing for a volunteer brigade of engineers and the enlistment of 10,00 volunteers, especially accustomed to the tropical climate.

Mr. Lewis (Dem., Wash.) during the consideration of a private bill, addressed the House, cautioning it against freely removing disabilities from those who participated in the civil war. He also spoke a denunciation of men and corporations who would seize upon the existence of war as an opportunity to form trusts and use the extremity of the government to secure improper profits.

Mr. Lewis said, also, that the House against yielding too easily to the cry of patriotism as justification for the passage of so called emergency measures. He declared patriotism was being used where reason did not exist to force manufacturers to grant proposition through the House. He referred to members who "spoke magnificently and voted unpatriotically" and begged the House not to forget to look always to the fundamental principles and justice underlying every proper proposition.

### COUNTRY ABOVE PARTY.

Mr. Lewis referred to a statement from Mr. Cummings (Dem., N. Y.) in speaking of his vote on the revenue measure, that now was a time to put country above the Democratic party, but not above the Republican party. This, with the intimation that the emergency measures had proved less patriotic in nature than beneficial to trusts, corporations and monopolists, brought a reply from the New York member. Mr. Cummings declared with much force that he was "the best friend of the country" need and at all times "an American and a Democrat." He said that it was the duty of members intent upon asserting that their government agents were corrupt in administration, first to produce their evidence lay it before the House and not rush to an indulgence to hold assertion without substance or basis.

### BOND ISSUE.

Slander of the government was too serious an accusation to be entered upon lightly. Speaking of his support of the revenue measure, embodying the bond provision, Mr. Cummings said it were better to authorize the President to issue the bonds and the issue of a popular loan than to give the express authority when the country was in a war emergency with a bond issue probably unobtainable and subject to the absolute dictation of a syndicate after long delay. The bond issue by the Democratic administration made necessary by the most profound peace and result in a loan of $8,000,000 at 5 per cent., and a gold standard, probably, more or less, and a greater ground for scandal than that resulting from the Cleveland-Lond issue. Mr. Cummings referred to the last administration as Democratic, brought forth a storm of protests from Democratic members. Mr. Cummings declared that Mr. Cleveland had been twice nominated by Democratic national conventions by delegates with their voices open to the fact that their candidate bore a gold badge. Mr. Cummings defied the Democrats to deny this statement and charged them with running Cleveland down the throats of New Yorkers over the vigorous protests of the latter's friends.

The New Yorker eloquently supported his action for the war revenue bill and declared that Democracy had always been entitled to, and his vote was in accord with the underlying principles of his party. Mr. Cummings was frequently applauded and in a storm of applause swept over the House when he concluded.

Mr. Lewis, replying, disavowed any purpose to reflect seriously upon the patriotic motives of the New York members. He said that his chief charge had not been directed at corporations and other moneyed interests, whom the press had declared had abused and expected to use the war emergency as a source of unholy profit at the cost of their country in the time of distress.

Mr. Lewis related in charge that the coal trust had sold for $2 a ton coal to be delivered by British ships to the Spanish, and Commodore Schley had been employed to save the same trust $3 a ton for similar coal.

### A VICIOUS ATTACK.

Mr. Clark (Dem., Mo.) made quite a vicious attack upon ex-President Cleveland, and replied to the latter was a Democrat. He said that Mr. Cummings' speech was the most outrageous one that had been made on the floor of the House. He characterized the votes of Mr. Cummings and other Democrats who voted for the bond bill as unpardonable. He said that they should be read out of the party. He said Cleveland was nominated because the Democrats thought he was the only man who could be elected.

Addressing the Republican side he said that they talked of the war as a Republican war. This he denied. "We took you by the scruff of the neck and dragged you into it," he said, "It's our war."

The Democrat had a right to claim the war, together with the Populists and silver Republicans, who were with the Democrats in most everything. Mr. Clark made a patriotic reference to Commodore Dewey.

Mr. Cummings, responding to Mr. Clark, said he reciprocated fully all the "kind" things said of him by the gentleman from Missouri. He indicated in a pointed anecdote that the Missourian was himself responsible for Missouri having advocated the late nomination of Cleveland.

Mr. Fitzgerald (Dem., Mass.) said he was one of the six Democrats whom the Missouri member had assumed to read out of the Democratic party.

The revenue bill was in some places not strictly in line with Democratic principles, but he had voted for it as an emergency measure, necessary in this critical period, and he had supported it just as the member from Missouri and all Democrats had supported the $50,000,000 defense bill, which was not technically Democratic.

Just as Democrats had supported, since war had seemed imminent and at length had existed measures purely emergency in nature that were not strictly regarded democratic in all particulars.

Mr. Fitzgerald said he had voted as he thought the need of the country dictated.

### COULD CRUSH SPAIN.

Mr. McAleer (Dem., Pa.) one of the six members of his party who supported the revenue bill declared himself never more satisfied with a vote than he was with the one cast in support of the bill the immediate passage of which he considered the country's needs demanded. He declared the right of any man who admitted himself to be a Democrat exacting in accord with the Populists to question his Democracy.

Mr. Cockran (Dem., Mo.) thought that in the exuberance of the discussion of member patriotism the merits of the revenue bill had been forgotten. He discussed the bill which had passed the House. He denied that any necessity for a bond issue would exist. He said the war could be prosecuted for $800,000,000 a year and he believed the American forces could crush Spain before the bonds could be sold and insisted if a vigorous direction of the war should be inaugurated. He brought an impassionable appeal with which the Republicans forced a bond proposition and their failure to postpone it until a real necessity appeared.

Mr. Bailey (Dem., Texas) said that he regretted the speeches of the afternoon as likely to be misconstrued.

There had been a tendency if not an effort to magnify the differences in the Democratic ranks. The record showed that upon all votes up to the last upon the revenue bill all Democrats had voted together and when the final vote, lacking to all, came, but five or six Democrats, necessitated to stand together, had regretfully, but conscientiously voted for the bill and against the Democratic.

At 5 o'clock the House took a recess until 8 o'clock.

### UNCLE SAM PAYS THE BILLS.

Augusta, May 3. The announcement is made that the national government Monday assured the State authorities that it would bear the entire expense of our national guard in camp this week including the cost of transportation. This will relieve the State from the payment of some $15,000. The funds to meet this will be taken from the emergency appropriation made by Congress. Lieut. Royden, the United States officer detailed here, will adjust all the bills for the government incurred by the adjutant general.

The State authorities have also been informed from Washington that six or seven hundred thousand army rations will reach here Saturday night.

Adjutant General Richards announced Monday that all militiamen who enlist in the United States army will be given leaves of absence for fudloughs from the national guard, the secretary in their connection with it, so that when they return from the war they can fall back into the old organization only. This it is believed, will obviate much of the difficulty anticipated in transferring men from one regiment or company to another.

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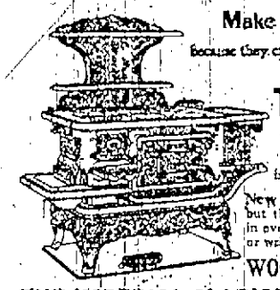

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Another thing that is sure to impress a visitor is the local travel that has sprung up in the tall buildings. While in an elevator he will see some one get on at one door and get off at another. It may be that some concern has offices on one floor and rooms for drafting on for other work on another, or there may be business relations between separate concerns on different floors and going to and fro between them just as there would be along the street between them if they were on the street level. And then there are buildings in which on floor above floor business of the same nature is carried on, and in which customers go from door to door without coming down to the street again until they have visited all the concerns with which they may have occasion to do business.

So that, take it altogether, to one not overfamiliar with it there is still likely to be found much of interest in the use of the modern elevator.—New York Sun.

### Abyssinian Legal Pomp.

The lord chief justice of Abyssinia was a cheery old gentleman, dressed in a huge black lion's mane silk handkerchief tied round his head underneath the hat, black silk cloak embroidered with gold, snuff purple silk skirt underneath and continuations of the tailoring linen. This representative of the law was also armed with a long sword in a red scabbard, and his squires running alongside carried his rifle and [illegible] mounted shield. Altogether he was a most imposing figure.—St. James Gazette.

### Stray Prize and Logs at Auction.

The stray boat prize logs at Pea Cove will be sold at auction at the office of the Treasurer, No. 100 Exchange street, on Wednesday, May 4th, at 10.30 A. M.

CHAS. H. ADAMS,
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April 25, 1898.

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The corporate members of the Penobscot Savings Bank are hereby notified that their annual meeting for the choice of Trustees and the transaction of any other business that may legally come before them will be held at their banking rooms on MONDAY, MAY 9, 1898, at 10 o'clock A. M.

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STATE OF MAINE.

ARBOR DAY.

A PROCLAMATION

By the Governor.

In compliance with a wise provision of the statute, it becomes my duty to proclaim

Tuesday, the 10th Day of May, 1898

As

ARBOR DAY,

and I cordially recommend to all people in this State that they observe the day by the planting of trees, shrubs and vines for the adornment of their homes, the beautifying of their fields, their school grounds and roadways.

I am persuaded that the influence of such an observance, with concert of effort, will ever be languishing and beneficent, and will bear withers in the years to come that we, caring for the future devoted this day to beautifying and increasing the adornment of our estates.

Given at the Executive Chamber, in Augusta, this twenty-second day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, and of the Independence of the United States of America the one hundred and twenty-second.

LLEWELLYN POWERS.

By the Governor,
BYRON BOYD, Secretary of State.

A Republican State Convention

WILL BE HELD IN

CITY HALL, AUGUSTA,

Tuesday, June 28th, 1898,

AT 10 O'CLOCK A. M.,

for the purpose of nominating a candidate for Governor to be supported at the September election, and the transacting any other business that may properly come before it.

The voters of Maine, without regard to past political differences, who are in favor of upholding President McKinley and his administration in the conduct of the present public affairs are cordially invited to join with the Republicans in choosing delegates to this convention.

The basis of representation will be as follows: Each city, town and plantation will be entitled to one delegate and for each 70 votes cast for the Republican candidate for Governor in 1896, and additional delegate for a fraction of 40 votes in excess of 35 votes; no further additional delegate.

Vacancies in the delegations of any city, town or plantation can only be filled by a resident of the county in which the vacancy exists.

The State committee will be in session in the city council rooms of City Hall at Augusta on the morning of the convention for the purpose of receiving the credentials of delegates. Delegates, in order to be able to participate in the convention, must be elected subsequent to the date of the call of this convention.

Per order Republican State Convention.

J. H. MANLEY, Chairman.
Byron Boyd, Secretary.
Augusta, Me., April 25, 1898.

The Philippines.

A despatch received by the news agency in New York from Hong Kong states that Manilla has fallen and that the Stars and Stripes float over the Philippines. As it is writing the news has not been confirmed and may be premature, especially as it is difficult to understand how the information reached Hong Kong in view of the fact that previous despatches announced that the cable had been cut, but it is premature it is only a step in advance of the actual fact, as no one believes that the city can make any prolonged defence against the attack of the American ships. This is the belief in official circles in Washington where news of the operations of the fleet is awaited with the greatest interest.

The despatches from Madrid show a manifest disposition to keep up appearances of hopefully proclaiming that the Spanish people will fight to the end and not cast down by their reverses. From the account of the naval engagement, at Manila the two navies and the land are apparently close together. The most cautious observer would be a heavy blow to any country and to Spain in its impoverished condition must mean practically the end of any well-grounded hope of continuing the war for any length of time.

The American Navy

In the course of the debate on the conference report on the naval appropriation bill Congressman Boutelle said in part:

Mr. Boutelle—I have no apology to make today to the American people or to the American Congress for any instance in which I may push up the construction of ships powerful enough to uphold our flag against the strongest vessels that can be brought against them in time of war. Upon the floor Senator from Illinois may rest on this subject I know not; but I am sure that while I have been conservative in everything that has tended to retard the government appropriations but proposed to go forward with the construction of ships that are entirely believed might have been longer delayed and sufficiently powerful to meet other fleets which might be brought against us. Looking back over the ghastly spectacle of systematic extermination of a nation, which has been going on for two years within a hundred miles of our southern sea coast, our only excuse for not having interfered sooner is that we did not know until lately the full extent and devilish malignity of the Spanish atrocities. We could not bring ourselves to believe that Weyler was organizing Arab mercenaries and chaparrals, for non-combatants, for the purpose of reducing populous provinces to graveyards. If we had sooner realized that several hundred thousand helpless women and children were being literally and intentionally starved to death by the so-called "reconcentrado" which would then protest and succor the tragedy would have been brought to a conclusion long ago. And when, to this chapter of horrors lately revealed by Congressional investigations, was added the treacherous massacre of 266 American sailors under Spanish protection in a nominally friendly harbor, it is difficult to see how the present rupture could have been averted or much longer postponed.

If, indeed women could have been voters, it is possible that an diplomacy of benevolence and amity might have overcome evil we had, but as the case goes, our intervention between Spain and her victims marks an advance, not a retrogression, in national methods. "The proverb, "Without the shedding of blood there is no remission of sins," is as old as history. Looking beyond the sordid imperfections of personal passion and ambition, we see America rising in a glow of honest indignation to make an end of barbaric oppression and political slavery in the West Indies, just as the North rose with a similar impulse thirty-seven years ago, to make an end of chattel slavery in the Southern confederacy.

It actually the efforts of people to deprecate a resort to the bloody barbarism of war. But as long as human dyemas like Weyler are at loose by "paternal" Governments, under the sanctions of law and order religion, to exterminate unoffending populations, so long there will be resistance upon a similar scene of brute force. Regret as we may, the more one calm will be followed by the avenging cyclone, the heartless rule of despotism will be succeeded by a reign of terror.

Insisted, therefore, of indulging in useless regrets for a wiser and more peaceful solution which might possibly have been held, let us now devote ourselves to making our interference effective. We have undertaken to eject Spain from Cuba and Porto Rico; let us do so with vigor and celerity. We have guaranteed freedom and self-government to Cuba; let us honorably fulfill our self-imposed trust. When we contrast the generous impulsiveness of our people with the cold-blooded callousness of the European Powers in their complicity with Turkish massacres, let us rejoice that the war forcefully by Bryant has come for free America.

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CALAIS NEWS.

Inquest on Death of Chas. D. Hill—Found Due to Accident.

(Special to Whig and Courier.)

Calais, May 3. A patriotic mass meeting was held at the Congregational church last evening to bid Godspeed to the boys of Company K, who started for Augusta Tuesday morning. The church was gracefully trimmed with American flags and the exercises were appropriate. Company K was escorted to the church by the Grand Army. The meeting was opened by Rev. C. C. McCully, pastor of the church. Rev. Mr. Pacefford offered prayer and Mr. Rice of the Union church made a very impressive address. Mr. Reynolds and Mr. St. Clair also made remarks.

Miss Mabel Murchie leaves this week for Boston.

Mr. Charles King's family will go to St. John for the summer, by tomorrow's train.

Mr. Gorham King is in town to attend the funeral of Mr. C. D. Hill.

Miss Alice Robbins is ill with a severe cold.

Mrs. M. Welch died Sunday morning, after a painful illness.

Mr. Blake of the Calais Shoe Pictory Company, is in town for a brief stay.

The session of the High school this morning was a very pathetic one. The valedictorian and several of the graduating class, being members of the militia company, took their farewell before starting for Augusta tomorrow morning. Rev. Mr. Hanson, the principal, made a very feeling remarks and the scene will be long remembered by the members of the school.

Upon the arrival of Sergeant Frank Shaw, yesterday afternoon, the inquest was held to decide the cause of the sudden death of Chas. D. Hill. Several witnesses were examined and after about four hours session the jury rendered the following verdict, that deceased came to his death by a bullet accidently discharged from a Colts Army revolver, which deceased the time was engaged in repairing and cleaning. Tools were found near the body, and everything in and around the room showed conclusively that the death was caused by accident. The coroner's jury was composed as follows: George A. Parrar, Albert Smyrer, Edward Moore, Alfred Towers, Henry Murchie and Irving McAllister.

The funeral services were held at the house this afternoon and were conducted by the Rev. Mr. McCully, assisted by Rev. Mr. Pace.

The floral tributes from the different orders and from personal friends were very beautiful.

Mr. Horace King of St. John, N. B., is in town for a few days.

Mr. Gus Murchie, who has so many warm friends in this city, has enlisted as a soldier in the regular army and is soon to go to Key West. Mr. Augustus, is the oldest son of Mr. William Murchie, is a graduate of Harvard and a young man of brilliant promise. His course will be watched by anxious friends who mind's eye can see him deplore the war when it takes from study and work young men like this.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. MacRaul of Machias are at the Exchange.

Hon. Geo. A. Curtan has gone to New York on business.

Registered at the Exchange are: G. S. McKenney, Portland; A. F. House, Chicago; A. B. Peckham, Bangor; B. F. Kilby, Eastport; J. W. Leland, Eastport and Lewis Shiflett, Eastport.

James Mitchell, former contractor on the Washington county railroad is spending a few days in the city attending court, there being a large number of land cases are on the docket.

A small fire occurred at 8 o'clock Monday night at Geo. Bullock's house on Union street. The damage was slight.

April term of the Supreme Court opened Tuesday morning, Associate Justice Emery presiding. Prayer was offered by Mr. Pedefond. The following officers were in attendance: Clerk E. H. Longfellow, Machias; Sheriff Penfield Longfellow, Machias and Deputies Geo. Ross of Vanceboro, J. Frost of Calais, Peter Murphy, Eastport.

MACHIAS NEWS.

The Soldiers' Given a Grand Reception and Send-off.

Thousands Cheered Them to the Echo at Home and at Bar Harbor—News Notes.

(Special to Whig and Courier.)

Machias, May 3. Company M was given a big reception and dinner by the citizens at the Grand Army Hall and at 5.30, under escort of the Machias Cornet Band and Bradbury Post, marched to the wharf, where they were embarked on the tow boat Sam'l B. Jones and were transported to the steamer Frank Jones. At Jonesport a large gathering of citizens and the Jonesport band greeted the boys and wished them God speed.

On the arrival of the steamer at Bar Harbor the citizens of this great summer resort greeted the boys and under escort of Parker Post, G. A. R., and the Uniformed Knights of Pythias, Co. M marched to the G. A. R. Hall and lunch was served. The town was out en masse and the Maine Central wharf was crowded with the cheering throngs as the boys re-embarked for the train at Mt. Desert ferry.

The company is composed most wholly of fine men and if will require some drilling to get the boys up to the standard, but they are all large, able bodied men and about the enlist in the United States to uphold the flag and make a record to the historic town of Machias.

Paul D. Sargent, of the M. C. R. R. came to Machias to take his position of orderly sergeant but Capt. Bowker ordered him back to Edinburgh and he returned to Columbia Falls.

Julius Merrill and Joe Jones are in town. Joe says it is a long road from Cutler to Machias if you follow his tricks.

H. H. Taylor left by Monday's boat to attend the Grand Lodge at Portland this week.

Col. Stephen E. Talbot, of New York, spent Sunday in town on his way to Maul York.

Mrs. Khan was a passenger for Boston via steamer Frank Jones.

E. M. Preble spent Sunday with his mother.

Thos. Neeley will act as chief cook for Co. M while in camp.

ELLSWORTH NEWS.

Protracted and Quiet Session of the City Fathers.

Various City Affairs Acted Upon—Charge for Electric Lights Discussed—Other News Notes of Interest.

(Special to Whig and Courier.)

Ellsworth, May 3. The regular monthly meeting of the city fathers was held last night. It was a quiet meeting, the most interesting point of action which the board had, being Mayor Higgins' board and publicly deserves the palm for conducting practical sessions.

The mayor didn't call to order until 8.35. All the aldermen were present.

Clerk Wyman's records were read and approved.

A complaint regarding the alleged [illegible] condition of the sidewalk on Birch avenue was read by the clerk. It was signed by A. R. Dorrance and 8 other residents in the vicinity. A walk was requested. The matter was put into the hands of the committee on streets.

The petition of A. S. Kimball and others who want an extension of a street near the Waltham road at the Falls was referred to the committee on streets. There was also a petition for a pump at the Falls.

Byron P. Gotchell spoke on behalf of himself and others, and stated that a petition for the rebuilding of the bridge between Fourth and Pond streets had been filed to State street. The petition was referred to the committee on streets.

Alderman Ford, on behalf of himself and others, and stated that a petition for the rebuilding of the bridge between Fourth and Pond streets had been filed to State street. The petition was referred to the committee on streets.

With a petition from H. B. Phillips and others for the sprinkling of the Phillips brick kiln on Water street, it was voted to have the committee inspect the damage done by the dust. B. Aiken's residence on the corner of Water from the railroad track was described by Mr. Aiken.

The salary of Dr. C. K. Cushman, city physician and meat inspector, was fixed at $100 per year.

Alderman Ward, of the committee reported favorably on the petition of the carriage of the Dirigo hose company, which took no action on the matter, finally been left in the hands of a special committee. Probably a new carriage will be bought for the company, as the members of the company are desirous of obtaining it.

Alderman Brady reported from the committee appointed to look into the matter about the placing of an electric light near the Congregational church. It was thought the light would be thought the light near the Congregational church. The committee will see that proper steps are taken to light the same.

Alderman Brady called the attention to his opinion that the electric light was overcharged for the month of March, and said we were paying more than for electric lighting than other similarly situated cities. Superintendent Watchman's figures were then referred to and the committee on streets were duty for the month of March, they should have been charged at the rate of 10 cents per hour instead of 12 cents per hour as they had been charged for their display.

A fire and an hour were reported by Alderman Brady, when it was voted to pay expenses of the Hancock hose company for 3 days' work instead of four as charged in their bills.

A bill had Mr. Brady voted against the vote, Messrs. Hurley and Ford voted in favor of the bill. The bill was for $500.50, was read and passed, bridge repair $400.00, $100.00, $50.00, and the bill for $808.50, were also read and passed.

The business in this meeting was the fact that now the board should take proper steps to dispose of the old engine and the town would be glad to receive bids.

The funeral services of the late Miss Foley were held at St. Joseph's church this morning, Rev. Father Walsh officiated. Many of the old friends of the deceased were present and had a large number of floral tributes. The pall bearers were Messrs. Dill, Curtis, Carter and Clark. The interment was in Calvary cemetery.

A runaway horse attached to a visitor created a little excitement on Main and Water streets this morning, but no damage was done.

Preparations for the Jubilee exercises for Monday next promise pleasant entertainments.

EAST HOLDEN PATRIOTIC

As Co. M from the eastern part of Holden enroute for Bangor did Monday found the station beautifully decorated with the Stars and Stripes in many forms.

The scholars lined up with the train ready to cheer them on their way to camp, a dog. As the train came to a stop, one enthusiastic soldier inquired "Hurrah for Maine, I'm off for Spain." "We're licked them once. We will lick them again." Then the scholars gave them three cheers for our navy.

Wholesale Produce Market

Corrected semi-weekly by the Growers Association.

Saturday, April 2.

STATE LAW REGARDING WEIGHTS AND MEASURES.

A bushel of Liverpool salt shall weigh 56 pounds, and a bushel of Turks Island salt shall weigh 70 pounds.

The standard weight of a bushel of potatoes, in good order and fit for shipping, shall be 60 pounds.

The standard weight of a bushel of turnips in good order and fit for shipping, pounds of wheat, beets, carrots, parsnips and peas, 60 pounds; of potatoes, 60 pounds; of onions, 57 pounds; of dried English turnips, rye and Indian corn, 56 pounds; of barley and buckwheat, 48 pounds; of oats, 32 pounds or weighed as by agreement.

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A box of iron 112 lbs.
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A box of ginger 112 lbs.
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A box of cloves 112 lbs.
A box of cinnamon 112 lbs.
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A box of saffron 112 lbs.
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A box of shorts 112 lbs.
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A box of parsnips 112 lbs.
A box of beets 112 lbs.
A box of cabbages 112 lbs.
A box of apples 112 lbs.
A box of pears 112 lbs.
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A box of plums 112 lbs.
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A box of watermelons 112 lbs.
A box of muskmelons 112 lbs.
A box of cantaloupes 112 lbs.
A box of honeydews 112 lbs.
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Maine Central Railroad.
ARRANGEMENT OF TRAINS.
In Effect April 17 1898.

Until further notice trains will leave Bangor as follows:

GOING EAST.

5.20 A. M.—For St. Stephen, Arbostock County, St. John and all points east of Maine and the Provinces, with Pullman Car for St. John.
8.00 A. M.—Mixed for Vanceboro.
7.00 A. M.—For Old Town and all points to the N. & A. R. R.
8.30 and 11.30 A. M.—Local to Old Town.
12.20 P. M.—Mixed for Mattawamkeag.
2.15 P. M.—Local to Old Town.
2.45 P. M.—For Vanceboro, St. Stephen, Houlton, Woodstock, and St. John.
8.45 P. M.—Old Town and Aroostock County Points via B. & A. R. R.
4.20 P. M.—Old Town and Greenville via B. & A. R. R.
6.40 P. M.—Local to Old Town.
8.25 P. M.—For Old Town and Mattawamkeag.
11.10 P. M.—Theatre local to Old Town.

GOING WEST.

7.15 A. M.—For all points west connecting at Newport for Dover and Foxcroft, and Moosehead Lake, Skowhegan for Belfast, Waterville for Oakland, Winthrop, Lewiston and Portland, at Portland for Montreal and Toronto.
12.05 P. M.—Mixed for Waterville and way stations connecting at Burnham for Belfast.
3.15 P. M.—Flying Yankee for Boston, with through Pullman Car running via Augusta, stopping at and connecting for Newport, Dover, Foxcroft, Monson, Moosehead Lake, Belfast, Waterville, Augusta, Portland and Boston.
4.30 P. M.—For Dover and Foxcroft and Moosehead Lake via Dexter, and mixed from Newport for all stations as far as Waterville, inclusive.
8.00 P. M.—Every night for Portland and Boston via Augusta, connecting for Lewiston and Bath. Pullman sleeping cars attached for Portland and Boston.
11.50 P. M.—Express for Portland and Boston, Pullman sleeping car attached for Portland and Boston.

BUCKSPORT BRANCH.

Trains leave Bangor for Bucksport at 9.50 and 11.30 A. M., 5.45 P. M. Saturdays only at 2.45 P. M. Arrive at Bucksport 10.50 A. M., 1.06 and 6.45 P. M. and 5.00 P. M. Saturdays only. Leave Bucksport for Bangor at 6.55 A. M. Mondays only, 8.25 A. M. 2.00 and 6.15 P. M. Arrive in Bangor at 7.00 A. M. Mondays only, 9.25 and 9.10 and 7.15 P. M.

MT. DESERT BRANCH.

Trains leave Bangor for Ellsworth and Bar Harbor at 8.40 A. M., 7.45 A. M. and 4.05 P. M. Leave Ellsworth 7.05 A. M., 10.20 A. M., 2.45 P. M., 6.40 A. M. train connects for Sullivan and Sorrento. Train leaves Bar Harbor (steamer) at 10.30) A. M., and 2.10 P. M. Leave Mt. Desert Ferry at 11.20 A. M. and 5.00 P. M. Leave Ellsworth 11.50 A. M. and 6.40 P. M. Arrive in Bangor 1.50, 5.10 and 9.25 P. M.

SUNDAY TRAINS.

7.15 A. M.—For Waterville, Augusta, Portland and Boston.
8.00 P. M.—For Portland and Boston via Augusta, Bath and Lewiston. Pullman sleeping car attached.

ARRIVALS.

From the East—Through trains from the east arrive at 11.00 P. M.; (Monday only) 8.45 A. M.; from Greenville 9.15 A. M.; 5.45 P. M.; 12.40 noon 8.55 P. M. from all points east, Mattawamkeag 10.15 A. M. (Mixed); 1.15 P. M. mixed from Vanceboro.
From the West—Arrive from Boston and Portland 4.45 A. M., and 3.30 and 6.20 P. M.; Sundays 6.20 P. M. From Portland and all way stations, 11.45 A. M. From Waterville and Foxcroft via Dover and Foxcroft via Dexter 9.05 and 11.20 A. M. Monday from Boston and Portland 2.30 P.M. Sunday (paper) 11.20 A. M.
NOTE—Time of arrival and departure here given is that of Maine Central Depot; for Exchange Street Depot a slight difference should be allowed.
Through tickets to all principal points East and by all routes may be had on the Maine Central Ticket Office. For Pullman Berths or information call on or address A. W. Beane, Ticket Agent.

GEORGE EVANS,
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F. E. BOOTHBAY,
General Passenger and Ticket Agt.
April 10, 1898.

Bangor & Piscataquis Railroad.
ARRANGEMENT OF TRAINS.
In Effect Monday, Oct. 4, 1897.

Pullman Buffet Parlor Cars between Caribou and Bangor on train leaving Caribou at 8.45 A. M., and Bangor at 6.45 P. M.

Until further notice trains will leave Bangor as follows:

7.00 A. M.—For and arriving at Lagrange at 8.35 a. m. Milo 8.45 a. m. Greenville 9.30 a. m. Katahdin Iron Works 10.45 a. m. Norcross 9.45 a. m. Sherman 10.30 a. m. Island Falls 11.20 a. m. Smyrna Mills 11.50 a. m. Masardis 12.20 p. m. Ashland 12.40 p. m. Portage Lake 1.20 p. m. Winterville 1.35 p. m. Presque Isle 1.50 p. m. Caribou 2.15 p. m. Fort Fairfield 2.40 p. m. Limestone 3.05 p. m. Van Buren 3.30 p. m. Connor 4.00 p. m. Fort Kent 4.30 p. m.
1.45 P. M.—For and arriving at Lagrange 2.34 p. m. Milo 2.45 p. m. Dover 3.40 p. m. Guilford 3.55 p. m. Sangerville 4.05 p. m. Monson 4.25 p. m. Brownville Junction 4.35 p. m. Brownville 4.45 p. m. Milo 5.00 p. m.
5.00 P. M.—For and arriving at Lagrange 5.45 p. m. Milo 5.55 p. m. Dover 6.50 p. m. Guilford 7.05 p. m. Monson Junction 7.20 p. m. Shirley 7.40 p. m. Greenville 8.00 p. m.

ARRIVALS.

9.15 A. M.—Leaving Greenville at 6.25 a. m. Monson Junction 6.35 a. m. Guilford 6.45 a. m. Dover 6.55 a. m. Brownville 7.05 a. m. Milo 7.20 a. m. Lagrange 7.30 a. m.
11.45 P. M.—Leave Caribou 6.45 a. m. Fort Fairfield 7.10 a. m. Limestone 7.35 a. m. Van Buren 8.00 a. m. Connor 8.30 a. m. Fort Kent 9.00 a. m. Presque Isle 8.15 a. m. Winterville 8.30 a. m. Portage Lake 8.45 a. m. Ashland 9.15 a. m. Masardis 9.35 a. m. Sherman 9.15 a. m. Norcross 9.45 a. m. Katahdin Iron Works 10.00 a. m. Brownville 11.07 a. m.
5.30 P. M.—Leaving Greenville 5.40 a. m. Seboeis 6.00 p. m. Katahdin Iron Works 6.25 p. m. Norcross 6.40 p. m. Connor 11.05 a. m. Fort Fairfield 11.35 a. m. Houlton 11.55 a. m. Island Falls 12.18 p. m. Sherman 12.45 p. m. Norcross 12.45 p. m. Smyrna Mills 1.05 p. m. Masardis 1.25 p. m. Ashland 1.45 p. m.

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## HOULTON NEWS.

### Gen. Merriam, Who Will Command Cuban Volunteers, a Native of Houlton

### An Opera Soon to be Produced—A Houlton Invention Patented—Festival Concert Thursday Evening—Next—News Notes.

(Special to Whig and Courier.)

Houlton, May 3. The ladies of the Congregational society held a May day sale of useful and fancy articles in the chapel yesterday afternoon and evening, with very satisfactory results.

Mr. Robert T. Wetmore arrived in town Saturday to remain. Mr. Wetmore is one of the best tenors in this section, and will be one of the soloists at the festival concert.

Deputy Sheriff A. D. Perkins is very ill at his residence. Pneumonia is entailed for his recovery.

The Misses Leavitt will arrive here Saturday and will make their permanent home in the Houlton Conservatory of Music.

Brig. Gen. Henry C. Merriam, who will be one of the generals who will command the volunteer forces to be sent to Cuba, is a native of Houlton. He obtained a lieutenant's commission in the war of the rebellion having been granted a medal of honor for conspicuous bravery in the assault of Fort Blakely, Alabama.

Mr. F. E. Smith, of Smith Bros. has been granted a patent on a combinated and perforated oven bottom, which is guaranteed to prevent burning anything that may be placed upon it. The patent was granted some time ago, but Mr. Smith has just received the machines necessary for the manufacture, and puts the same on sale. He has many flattering testimonials from housekeepers who have tried them as to their utility.

Seats are now on sale at Frenchs drug store for the grand festival by the Houlton Festival Chorus at the Opera House next Thursday evening. The chorus will be supplemented by Robinson's full orchestra assisted by Mr. Arthur Watson of Presque Isle, and Mr. John M. Murphy, double bass, of Calais. Our people are looking forward with great interest to the occasion and a rich musical feast is promised. The chorus will consist of over 100 voices, among whom will be some of Houlton's best singers. The program to be rendered is as follows:

Selected ..... Orchestra
Star Spangled Boner ..... Band and Orchestra
Selection ..... Orchestra
Organ Solo ..... Mr. Arthur Watson
Reading—Miss Pauline Ring, R. P. Owen
Addition of Ballard's Old Folks.
..... Festive Chorus

The hall will be finely decorated and the chorus will occupy the parquette and a special platform will be erected in front of the same for the conductor, Mr. E. L. Cleveland, Jr., and the soloists.

The many friends of Mrs. E. C. Dunn of Ashland were pained to learn of her death which occurred last Friday. The funeral took place this afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Congregational church, Rev. Mr. Ellwood officiating, assisted by Rev. Mr. Wetmore of Houlton. A special train for the accommodation of Houlton people who wished to attend the funeral.

The Sunday services at the Congregational church were very interesting and specially interesting inasmuch as they were of a purely patriotic nature and a premonition of the departure of Company G next week. The order of services was as follows: Organ voluntary, invocation, responsive reading, hymn, "The Battle Hymn of the Republic," Scripture, solo by E. L. Cleveland, Jr., prayer meeting, memorial hymn, address and offering, hymn, "God Speed the Right," patriotic sermon by pastor, prayer for Nation and Guard, hymn, "America," benediction. Similar services were held at the other churches.

At the S. J. Court since last report the following cases have been tried by jury:

The Eaton Manufacturing Co. vs. The S. C. Forsaith Machine Co.; Action for damages on warrant. Verdict for plaintiff for $484.09.

Blanche Harris vs. Jessie B. Knowles. Action for slander. Verdict for plaintiff for $1.00.

William M. Ring vs. Francis E. Chase. Action for trespass. Verdict for plaintiff for $1.04.

State vs. Preston P. Ryther, cohabiting. Verdict not guilty.

State vs. Charles Foster, manslaughter. After the State's evidence was all in the court directed the jury to bring in a verdict of not guilty.

The following non-Dons diversions have been granted:

Annie J. Varney vs. John R. Varney; Barbara Eduard vs. Peter Plourde; Charles Putnam Lunt vs. Charles A. Burt.

Court will adjourn here either tonight or tomorrow morning to resume business at Caribou Thursday morning. There is expected it will be in session all next week.

## THE DAY ON WALL STREET

New York, May 3. After yesterday's violent decline in prices some reaction was to be expected today. The trading generally was on the quiet order with heavy selling orders by large operators who were desirous of taking profits.

American securities with one or two exceptions showed declines on the London exchange before it opened, more.

Yesterday's events in Wall Street had so far awakened outside interest in the market that commission houses found their boxes filled with buying orders.

The foreigners in London reflected opening quotations but they were not down to the London parity and they were soon met by very heavy commission house buying during the first hour. This invited arbitrary selling and the stocks of different stocks sold for London account here were estimated a block of 50,000 shares.

The market showed remarkable resistance to the pressure of this selling as well as to the heavy realizing by large operators who believed that the rapid advance of the last three or four days had gone as far as was safe.

The fidelity of the market to advance served to discourage the outside interest and buying orders were withdrawn. The market generally ranging to a lower level.

There was rather an inspiring feature developed in bond trading, but the fact that tomorrow will be a holiday made the professionals timid about putting out short contracts just as it had moved those of them who were long of the market to take their profits.

The firmness of the market in the strength shown by some special stocks caused the professional contingent in the first hour to be bulls also.

There was quite a heavy buying movement which carried the prices of the market finally nearly 1 per cent but dipped on small realizations, previous to worthy gains through the list.

The money market showed some tendency to ease on the commercial paper department and for call loans. The rise of 2½ in the actual rate for stock exchange in face of these evidences was unexplained.

The closing of markets over Sunday stops in the usual demonstrations of recent later realizations; these are active stocks which carry their prices below the highest level. U. S. new 5's were the single exception, declining 1/8 on the old 4's, and the 5's 1/4 per cent in the old price.

## ORONO NEWS.

(Special to Whig and Courier.)

Miss Nellie Douglass of Mechanic Falls, has recently been visiting her home in Webster.

The first annual banquet of St. John's Universalist church took place in the vestry last night shortly after 7 o'clock, the entire part of the vestry being given up to a social meeting. There was a large assembly present.

Rev. C. F. Lund called for the following toasts. Y. P. C. U., Miss Fannie J. Mosher; Le Roi said, Miss James Crowell; Sunday School, Miss Mary W. Snow; Our Pastor, A. G. Ring; The Ocean and Poem, Miss Virginia M. Ring; The Church and Family, Rev. Donald Fraser; The Church as a Business Organization, Rev. E. F. Pember, of Bangor.

Mrs. W. F. Chase has sold his store on Mill street to F. C. Park, who will occupy it after improvement are made.

Mrs. Webster of Old Town will occupy the Universalist church next Sunday night.

Mrs. Frances Rogers, of Oldtown, has taken Walter Oesell's post on the post-office during his absence with the troops at Augusta.

Mr. Arthur B. Whitney, who has been visiting his parents in town, has returned to Colby.

The funeral of George V. Prescott was held on Tuesday at the home of the deceased on Hirons corner, Rev. E. F. Pember of the Universalist church officiating. The burial was directed by Abel Hodgkins.

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### [illegible] Powers Prosecutes Business-Like Recklessness---Strict Discipline---Does Defense---3 Companies to Fight.

Camp Powers, Augusta, May 3. It is doubtful if the camp that in the time of the rebellion was known as Camp Keyes, now Camp Powers, ever presented a more business-like aspect than today. There was a scramble in about it, not altogether due to the cheerless weather, although the men appeared to be enjoying life in a quiet manner.

Those of the guard in duty the first night, who had done similar duty at previous encampments, say they never saw it so quiet. The troops were not fired as though it were the end instead of the beginning of an arduous campaign.

CO. G IN FINE CONDITION.

Capt. Dana Jr. says the men of Company G are in the pink of condition and slept like logs the first night under the white canvas and, with the extra blankets issued by Adjutant General Richards, awoke without cold feet or influenza.

FEW IN HOSPITAL.

There were but seventeen recorded at the hospital as having had medical treatment up to this afternoon, and the complaints specified were in the nature of a cold, stomach ache or rheumatism. Not one of them, however, came from the ranks of the Bangor company, which occupies one of the most favorable and healthful locations on the field.

Doubtless some of the gallant youths that marched away from home yesterday will never return, but for the present at least their health is not in question, measured as it would be by a fishing trip. The food is excellent and plentiful. "Uncle Sam worth a cent he is good," said one of the boys, as he stood in front of his tent after dinner today, who nevertheless expressed eagerness to devote himself to "Uncle Sam's menu" and other matters.

"ON TO WASHINGTON."

And he was no exception, for the general sentiment is "on to Washington," and there was much disappointment among the stalwart sentinels of the second because the decision is to allow the first regiment to muster into the United States service. This was generally expected, however, among the better informed.

SERVICE FOR THE SECOND.

While Colonel Kendall and his men will big ready of war is to a fair-way camp, Colonel Philbrook is glad to think that as it is to have the battery of heavy artillery and the manning of the monitors Monhegan it Portland from his regiment. This the chiefs will provide places in meeting service for about half of the men in the command, practically all of whom are desirous of enlisting.

OFFICERS TO RETAIN PLACES.

When the lines are mustered into the United States service they will be granted leave of absence from the National Guard, that the old places will be kept open for them on their return from the minister in good, sound Yankee Dress them to the haughty but unprincipled and unsuspecting Spaniards.

SURGEONS TO EXAMINE SURGEONS.

The Governor has appointed Dr. Seth C. Gordon of Portland, and Dr. W. P. Hickson of Gardiner, to co-operate with Lieut. Styles, of Fort Preble, as a board to examine the surgeons of the Maine National Guard, all of which is understood to mean that the latter have yet by no means an easy or enviable task of examining the enlisted men, provided the board shall find them qualified.

CO. G HAS FULL RANKS.

Co. G has full ranks, 72 men, and if you can find one of them who will admit he isn't eager for the fray you will do better than anyone has so far done. The men were kept actively employed at company drill and a good deal of attention had to be paid to the raw recruits who marched into camp in utter ignorance of all military but who ex seek gods and drill pa before long.

The Eastport and Calais companies will arrive on Wednesday afternoon, when they will be about 1801 men in camp.

ALL WILL HAVE ACTIVE SERVICE.

If the plans for Maine coast defense now under discussion are perfected nearly all the artillery, guard duty and other service will be accommodated.

Discipline in camp is very strict. The guard is twelve and few passes are issued.

There is no prospect of a change in the arrangement for sending the first regiment to Washington under the present officers.

Lieut. Rayden expects to begin mustering in on Tuesday morning.

## ESTABLISHED OFFICES.

Washington, May 3. Secretary Gage has been officially notified that the Canadian government has now established offices on the routes from Dyea and Skagway, where letters may be obtained by those crossing the mountains and desiring to enquire if any across the Alaska border in British territory.

## CHICAGO PRODUCE MARKET.

Chicago May 3. Wheat No 2—May 72½; July 74½; Sept. 81½; Dec. 83½. Corn No 2—May 33; July 33¾; Sept. 34½. Oats No 2—May 29¾; July 26¾; Sept. 23¾@24. Mess Pork—May 10.35; July 10.10. Lard—May 5.87½; July 6.00; Sept. 6.00. Short ribs—May 5.47½; July 5.77½; Sept. 5.87½.

Cash quotations—Flour in less demand and 10@15c lower. No. 2 spring wheat 68@70; No. 3 spring wheat 62@71; No. 2 red 68@70; No. 3 corn 32¾; No. 2 oats 30; No. 2 white 33½; No. 3 white 31½; No. 2 rye 62½@63; No. 2 barley 110@; Flaxseed 1.32½@1.33; prime timothy seed 3.00@3.75; Mess pork 10.35@11.00; Lard 5.75@5.85; short ribs sides 5.85@5.75; dry salted shoulders boxed 4.75@5; short clear sides 5.80@5.90. No. 2 yellow corn 33¾ nom.

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| Flour, | 21,000 | 7,000 |
| Wheat, | 330,000 | 105,000 |
| Corn, | 403,000 | 311,000 |
| Oats, | 619,000 | 379,000 |
| Rye, | 14,000 | 6,000 |
| Barley, | 101,000 | 6,000 |

On produce exchange, butter steady, creameries 13@16½; dairies 12@15½. Eggs steady, fresh 10½. Cheese dull and unchanged.

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TO ENCAVEMENT OF THE COLBURN CADETS.

May Be Given Up This Year Owing to the War and Its Requirements.

SOME CHANGES IN PROSPECT

Military Department of the University of Maine to Be Reorganized---Athletic and Other Notes.

(Special to Whig and Courier.)

Orono, May 3. No encampment of the Colburn Cadets will be held this year owing to the existing war. The faculty have voted to give it up, and also to take steps to reorganize the military department, which is at present rather broken up by the absence of Lieut. Royden and a large number of cadets. President Harrison will assume charge for the remainder of this term and in all probability the companies will be reduced from four to three.

This institution is well represented in the active service. Nathan Goodrich '97 of Orono, now Ensign assistant engineer of the U. S. S. Raleigh, at the Pacific station, undoubtedly went through the battle of Manila. From the senior class, Maj. Dillingham has joined his company at Augusta. W. B. Tolman '98 is with the Augusta company, and J. F. Archer, '98, has been tendered a position as official interpreter. He expects to leave soon. Howard Brett, '98, H. Feathers, '99, E. J. Dana, 1901, are with Co. G, of Bangor, and B. F. Pomroy, 1900, and Lisbi, 1900, have joined their companies. Harry M. Lincoln, '98, is in Augusta as Lieut. Royden's private secretary.

The volunteer company will drill several times a week. Many applicants are now secured for membership.

Coach Busta will make the base ball candidates practice this week in preparation for the first league game with Bowdoin at Brunswick next Saturday. A. C. Sewall, '98, has rather the call to college freshmen being called home by the sickness of his father and will hardly fill the weak spot on first base.

The final make up of the team has not been determined. The trip to Vermont has been given up owing to the impossibility of making satisfactory arrangements.

The track men are working hard under Coach Mosley, the several squads of men taking different hours of the day for practice. Practically all of the available light is coming in practice.

The junior class won the debate with the seniors Monday night in the chapel. The question was: "Resolved, That the Free Public Institutions of the United States are in Danger." A. D. T. Libby and H. A. Libby spoke for '98, and R. E. Palmer and O. B. Storrs for '99. The debate was very close, but it was decided to have when by a small number of points. The attendance was small, with none of the interesting after features of the 1900-1901 debate took place.

FOUR MAJOR GENERALS.

Washington, May 3. The understanding among some of the Senators today is that the four major generals of the volunteer army have been determined upon. Brooke, but they are: Generals Otis, of New York; Wilson, of Delaware; Lee, of Virginia, and Wheeler, of Alabama.

ONE RIOTER KILLED.

Rome, May 3. During a bread riot at Pinchino yesterday the mob threatened to attack the prefect's and town hall and stoned the troops sent to protect the buildings. The police fired on the rioters, killing a rioter.

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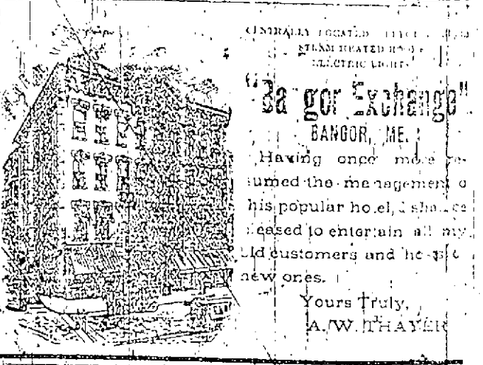

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## Annual Meet

The stockholders of the Light Company are hereby notified the annual meeting of said co be holden at their office in said day, the 10th day of May, A. D. o'clock, P. M., for the election of and the transaction of such other business that may legally come before said meeting.

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MESSENGER'S NO
OFFICE OF THE STATE OF MAINE
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Penobscot ss. May
This is to give notice that the subscriber was appointed by the Hon. Judge of Probate for the County of Penobscot, on the 3rd day of March, A. D. 1898, a Messenger of said Court, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond as the law directs. All persons having demands against the estate of Wilbur H. Nickerson, late of Bangor, in said County of Penobscot, deceased, are hereby required to exhibit the same for settlement, and all indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to
CHARLES H. HIN
As Messenger

NOT ON SHI

Women Nurses, How Acceptable in Shore

Surgeon Gen. Van Reypen is being almost inundated with letters from women all over the country asking for positions as nurses during the war in Cuba. The applications are coming at the rate of about 20 a day since the movement began. The law prohibits the employment of women on board ships of war, but there will probably be a large number of women employed in the hospitals on shore.

A RECENT INSTANCE

Cases innumerable can be cited where men have gained in health, lowered the cost of living, retained a certain town residence, and saved time to go out and look after their farms. A case in point is this: Upon leaving the city they started to return but were persuaded by explanation, which they could by no means go back, and waited for the next train. Being thus haunted, and the train finally pulling into town as best they could, at the end of his efforts to get home, the family.—Harper's Weekly.

Parkhurst corresponds to Republican: The people in this section are sadly in need of a good, badly cut up, dusty road. Frequent falls in two only will make matters worse, as roads are the best indication of the prosperity of the people.

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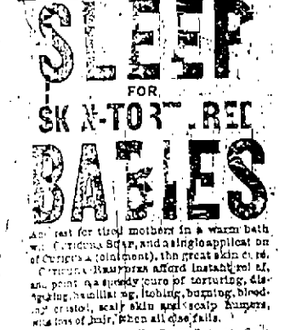


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## Annual Meeting.

The stockholders of the Bangor Gas Light Company are hereby notified that the annual meeting of said company will be held at their office in Bangor, on Monday, the 9th day of May, next, at 3 o'clock P. M. for the election of directors and the transaction of any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

C. M. GRIFFIN, Clerk.

MESSENGER'S NOTICE.

OFFICE OF THE SHERIFF OF PENOBSCOT COUNTY
STATE OF MAINE.

Penobscot ss. May 2nd, A.D. 1898.

This is to give notice that, on the 24th day of March, A. D. 1898, a warrant in insolvency was issued out of the County of Penobscot, against the estate of WILBUR R. STRATTON of Indian Township, No. Three, in the County of Penobscot and State of Maine, adjudged to be an insolvent debtor, on petition of O. S. Howard of Boston in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, which petition was filed on the 24th day of March, A. D. 1898, to which said debtor claims to be entitled to the benefit of the several acts in addition thereto and amendatory thereof, relating to insolvent debtors, and that the payment of any debts and the delivery and transfer of any property belonging to said debtor to him or for his use, and the delivery and transfer of any property by him are forbidden by law; that a meeting of the creditors of said debtor to prove their debts and choose one or more assignees of his estate, will be held at a Court of Insolvency, to be held at the Probate Court Room in Bangor, in said County, on the 11th day of May, A. D. 1898 at 10 o'clock before the forenoon.

Given under my hand the date first above written.

CHARLES E. BROWN, Sheriff,
As Messenger of said Court.

## HOT ON SHIPS.

### Women Nurses, However, Will Be Acceptable in Ships Hospitals.

Surg. Gen. Van Reypen of the navy is being almost inundated with applications from women all over the country for positions as nurses on the hospital ship Creole. The applications have averaged about 20 a day since the war excitement began. The law practically prohibits the employment of women on shipboard.

Light male graduates of the New York Training School for Nurses have already been enlisted for service on the Creole, and it will be impossible for them to serve in that capacity. There is nothing in the law, however, which will prohibit the employment of women nurses at the army and navy hospitals on shore.

### A RECENT INSTANCE IN CUBA.

Cases innumerable can be quoted where men have asked in vain to be allowed to return to the country. In a certain town 100 men were seeking permission to go out and begin work on their farms. After three weeks' delay permission was granted to one of the 100 applicants, an American citizen. He soon borrowed $50 to buy tools and provisions, took eight men with him and rejoiced to his old farm, some thirty miles away, and began to make his clearing. He soon had brought down his first load for sale.

Upon finishing this business he started to return, but was stopped. No explanation was given; the wife simply told he could not go back. His workmen waited for him until their food was exhausted, and then made their way back to town to learn if they could. This was the end of his efforts to provide for his family.—Harper's Weekly.

## TIMELY TOPICS

### SUGGESTED BY THE WAR.

### Comparison of the American and Spanish Fleets at Manila—Some Facts About Each Place.

Just at this time a comparison of the American and Spanish fleets at Manila will be found of great interest. The Spanish ships destroyed are in the list.

THE AMERICAN SHIPS.

Olympia, first class, protected cruiser; 5800 tons; launched 1892; speed 21 knots; battery, four 8-inch rifles, 10 5-inch rapid-fire guns, 6 6-pounder 3-pounder rapid-fire guns, 4 machine guns and six torpedo tubes.

Baltimore, second rate; 4600 tons; speed, 20; battery, four 8-inch rifles, six 6-inch rifles, four 6-pounder rapid-fire guns, 8 6-pounders, two 1-pounders, two 1-2-inch, two 3-inch rifles, six machine guns and two torpedo tubes.

Boston, second rate; 3150 tons; speed, 15 knots; battery, two 8-inch rifles, six 6-inch rifles, two 6-pounder rapid-fire, two 6-pounders, two 1-pounders, two 3-inch, two 1-2-inch and two machine guns.

Raleigh, second rate; 3-150 tons; speed 19 knots; battery, one 6-inch and 10 6-inch rapid-fire rifles, eight 6-pounders, four 1-pounders, two machine guns and one torpedo tube.

Concord, third rate; 1710 tons; speed 17 knots; battery, six 6-inch rifles, two 6-pounder rapid-fire, two 3-pounders, two 1-pounders, two ¾-inch, two ¼-inch and two machine guns.

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Petrel, third rate; 890 tons; speed 15½ knots; battery, four 5-inch guns, two 6-pounder rapid-fire, two 1-pounder rapid-fire, four machine guns.

McCulloch, revenue cutter.

Nanshan, collier.

Zafiro, supply vessel.

THE SPANISH SHIPS.

Reina Cristina, 3520 tons; built 1886; speed 17½ knots; battery, six 6.2 inch; Hispania guns, two 2.7 inch and three 2.2-inch rapid-fire guns; two 1.5-inch, six 3-pounders, two machine guns and two torpedo tubes.

Castilla, 3342 tons; built 1881; 14 knots; battery, four 5.9 Krupp rifles, two 6.7 inch, two 3.3-inch, four 2.9-inch rapid-fire, eight rapid-fire guns, two machine guns and two torpedo tubes.

Velasco, 2152 tons; 17.3 knots; battery, three 6-inch Armstrong rifles, four Hontoria and six machine guns.

Don Antonio De Ulloa, 1130 tons; speed 14 knots; battery, four 4.7-inch Hontoria guns, two 2-inch rapid-fire, five machine guns and two torpedo tubes.

Don Juan De Austria, 1130 tons; speed, 14 knots; battery, four 4.7-inch Hontoria rifles, three 2.2-inch rapid-fire, two 1.6-inch, five machine guns and three torpedo tubes.

General Lezo and El Cano, gun vessels, 524 tons; built 1883; speed, 11 knots. The General Lezo has two Hontoria rifles of 4.7-inch calibre, one 3.5-inch, two small rapid-fire and one machine gun, and two torpedo tubes. The El Cano, three 4.7-inch guns, two small rapid-fire, two machine guns and one torpedo tube.

Marques Del Duero, dispatch boat; 500 tons; speed, 10 knots; one smooth-bore 6.2-inch calibre, two 4.7-inch, and one machine gun.

Isla de Cuba and the Isla de Luzon have both small gunboats. It is not known whether they are or not the same in armament. They are of 1030 tons, displacement, 16 knots, and carry four 4.7 Hontoria, four 6-pounder rapid fire, two 3-pounder, two machine guns and three torpedo tubes.

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S. C. Pearce, Lieutenant-Commander.
C. G. Calkins, U. S. Nelson, G. S. Morgan, W. G. Miller, S. M. Strite, Lieutenants.
M. M. Taylor, F. B. Upham, W. P. Scott, A. G. Kavanaugh, Ensigns.
A. E. Pyle, Medical Inspector.
J. D. Pugh, Passed Assistant Surgeon.
C. P. Kindleberger, Assistant Surgeon.
F. A. Smith, Pay Inspector.
J. Entwistle, Chief Engineer.
E. H. D. Leary, C. P. Marshall, Jr., Assistant Engineers.
J. B. Frazier, Captain.
W. P. Biddle, Captain of Marines.
D. J. G. Kullhwin, Gunner.
W. Macdonald, Carpenter.
E. J. Norcott, Acting Boatswain.

RALEIGH.

J. B. Coghlan, Captain.
F. Singer, Lieutenant Commander.
W. Winder, B. Thorpe, H. Rodman, C. B. Morgan, Lieutenants.
H. L. Chadwick, P. Ibalin, Ensigns.
E. H. Mitchell, Surgeon.
D. N. Carpenter, Assistant Surgeon.
S. R. Lecp, Past Assistant Paymaster.
F. H. Jaffe, Chief Engineer.
A. F. Hastedt, Past Assistant Engineer.
J. B. Bradley, Assistant Engineer.
J. C. Trendwell, First Lieutenant of Marines.
G. D. Johnstone, Acting Gunner.
C. S. Kiby, Acting Carpenter.

BOSTON.

B. P. Lamberton, Captain.
A. Norris, Lieutenant-Commander.
Gleason, W. B. Howard, Lieutenants.
S. S. Robinson, R. H. Everhart, J. S. Doddridge, Ensigns.
M. D. Crawford, Surgeon.
R. R. Hoffman, Assistant Surgeon.
H. Martin, Paymaster.
B. Benson, Chief Engineer.
G. H. James, Assistant Engineer.
T. M. Dutton, First Lieutenant of Marines.
J. C. Ewing, Gunner.
O. H. Hotze, Carpenter.

BALTIMORE.

N. M. Dyer, Captain.
G. Blocklinger, Lieutenant-Commander.
A. Breune-arenther, A. G. Winterhalter, F. W. Kellogg, T. M. Elliott, O. S. Schnworth, Lieutenants.
G. H. Hayward, Master's Mate.
Edgerton, Ensign.
C. W. Wurtsbaugh, J. C. Wettenze, C. M. Tozer, T. A. Kinney, Naval Cadets.
H. Healey, Passed Assistant Surgeon.
T. K. Smith, Assistant Surgeon.
D. Howard, Pay Inspector.
J. Kirby, Chief Engineer.
H. H. Price, Medical Corps, Assistant Surgeon.
C. P. Burt, Naval Cadet (Eng.).
S. K. Freeman, Captain.
D. Williams, First Lieutenant of Marines.
H. H. Brayton, Acting Boatswain.
L. L. Connelly, Gunner.
D. Nash, Carpenter.

CONCORD.

Walker, Commander.
C. P. Colpoeorcssen, Lieutenant Commander.
C. B. Howard, P. V. Hourigan, Lieutenants.
E. A. Kane, W. C. Davidson, H. Butler, Jr., U. S. Knepper, Ensigns.
C. Broderick, Past Assistant Surgeon.
D. Ryan, Pay Assistant Paymaster.
Richard Inch, Chief Engineer.
W. Jones, Past Assistant Engineer.
H. Dunn, Assistant Engineer.

PETREL.

Wood, Commander.
H. Higbee, B. A. Fiske, A. M. Wood, C. P. Plunkett, Lieutenants.
P. Perrine, W. S. Montgomery, Ensigns.
D. Brownell, Past Assistant Surgeon.
G. Sobero, Assistant Paymaster.
H. Hall, Past Assistant Engineer.

McCULLOCH.

D. D. Hodgson, Captain.

NEWS CARRIED BY EACH MISSEL.

UNITED STATES.

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| Olympia | 5,870 |
| Baltimore | 4,600 |
| Boston | 3,150 |
| Raleigh | 3,150 |
| Concord | 1,710 |
| Petrel | 890 |
| McCulloch | 1,130 |
| Total | 20,500 |

SPAIN.

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| Reina Christina | 3,520 |
| Castilla | 3,342 |
| Velasco | 2,152 |
| Don Antonio De Ulloa | 1,130 |
| Don Juan De Austria | 1,130 |
| Isla De Cuba | 1,030 |
| Isla De Luzon | 1,030 |
| Total | 13,462 |

THE AMERICAN OFFICERS.

Commodore George Dewey who has charge of the Asiatic squadron was born in Montpelier, Vt. He entered the Naval Academy in 1854, and was on the gunboat Mississippi as lieutenant from 1858 to 1863. Later, at the battle of Fort Fisher, he served on the gunboat Andrew Jackson. He was executive officer of the Kearsarge after the war. In 1884 he was assigned to the Dolphin as Captain, and has held various positions in the service since. He has been in the Asiatic squadron several months.

The flag officer of the fleet is Lieutenant Brumby of Georgia, who was appointed to the Naval Academy in 1861.

There are several other New Englanders among the officers of Commodore Dewey's squadron. The Captain of the Baltimore, N. M. Dyer, is a native of Providence. He was brought up in the merchant service, first entered the army as Capt. Thirteenth Infantry, volunteers, was on the breaking out of the war, in 1862 he was appointed on the Naval Master's Mate in the Navy. He was transferred from the R. R. Corps he was trained and learned the rebel navy yard which under the guns of Fort Sumter. On July 7, 1862, and was promoted for the gallant act.

Dyer he served on Farragut's flagship the Hartford and on other vessels, and was commissioned a Lieutenant in 1865. While serving on the Oneida in 1870 Capt. Dyer performed a most gallant act of gallantry. The ship was off the coast of Mexico in the Bay of Panama and had many distinguished men on board, a sailor fell from the main topmast head into the sea, being disabled by the fall. Capt. Dyer, who was taking an observation, dropped his instruments and leaped overboard, rescuing the sailor.

He was officially commended in a special despatch by the Secretary of Navy and also by Commodore Upshur. The Massachusetts Humane Society awarded him a silver medal. Lieut. Commander G. Blocklinger, the executive officer of the Baltimore, was born in Ohio. He was appointed to the Naval Academy in 1874.

The Boston upon its first cruise was commanded by Capt. Wildes, a famous sailor, but just before the sailing of the ship Capt. Wildes was relieved by Commodore Gridley. Lieut. Commander Albertson, who belongs to Pennsylvania. J. A. Norris, Lieutenant Commander and executive officer of the Boston, is also a native of Pennsylvania and has been in the navy since 1865.

The captain of the Raleigh, J. B. Coghlan, was born in the navy. Lieut. William W. Winder, who was executive officer of the ship, is a resident of New Hampshire. His home is in the seaport town of Portsmouth, where there is an important naval colony. Lieut. Winder entered the service in 1860 and has held his present grade since 1886. He was stationed attached to the receiving ship at the navy yard at Boston. During the Spanish-American war Lieut. Winder was the commanding officer of the Raleigh, and was in command of the vessel when she engaged the Spanish batteries at Manila. Lieut. Winder is a son of Rear Admiral C. C. Carpenter, retired, who in this war has been commissioned back to active duty and made Commander-in-Chief of the Portsmouth Navy Yard.

Commander Asa Walker of the Concord, belongs in Mississippi, and Commander B. P. Lamberton of the Detroit came from Ohio. The Raleigh's executive officer, Frederick Singer, comes from New York. Lieutenant Commander C. P. Colpoeorcssen was born in Vermont in 1847, and during the war he was a captain's clerk on the war vessels Supply and Saratoga. He was appointed to the Naval Academy in 1868, and has served at sea almost every station in the world.

The Commander of the flagship Olympia, Captain Charles V. Gridley, who was appointed from Michigan. He served through the civil war and was at the battle of Mobile Bay on the Richmond. Lieutenant Commander C. B. Morgan, Lieutenants H. L. Chadwick, P. Ibalin, Ensigns, E. H. Mitchell, Surgeon, D. N. Carpenter, Assistant Surgeon, S. R. Leon, Past Assistant Paymaster, F. H. Jaffe, Chief Engineer, A. F. Hastedt, Past Assistant Engineer, J. B. Bradley, Assistant Engineer, J. C. Trendwell, First Lieutenant of Marines.

## ARMY NEWS.

The seven American volunteers who intend to attend a night's freeze in the Arctic atmosphere of the Mechanical Department of the Boston Museum of Science, have given up the idea of "camping out" in the open air, and have decided to erect a house of ice, in which they will live for the week. The house will be built of blocks of ice, and will be 10 feet square and 7 feet high. The seven Americans will be the first persons to live in a house of ice in the United States. The house will be built in the Arctic exhibition at New York, and will be brought to Boston, in the same car with the Dunsmuir polar bear. Here the work of erecting the house will be done. Mr. Webb is a bonanza king and all that he builds is interesting because of his temperament. We can say the same thing of Childe Hassam, though unquestionably his vagaries are often more startling, more downright, and less serious. The most that can be said in connection with this picture is that it appears to be Impressionistic in a very poor example, whose legendless of style just suits Mr. Hassam's whimsical humor. Nevertheless, with all his faults, we love him (Hassam, still... Mr. Dewing seems in the picture showing to reveal the cynical side of his character. It is he who has painted the delightful fruits in his letters to the sunrise. Nothing could be less fortunate for a portrait painter than this tendency. Nothing could be less fortunate for a portrait painter than this tendency. There is a street of great artificiality in Mr. Dewing's work, and it has never been so emphatically obvious as in the two heads here exhibited. Mr. Twachtman is still painting the rainbow-like impressionist which he has been so prodigious for four or five years ago.

More than 2,000 pictures are exhibited in the galleries of the Paris exhibition. Unobtained of the number there now hanging in the Club 37 Odd Volumes in the three main rooms of the Boston Museum of Fine Arts, and to remain open until June 5. A pamphlet of 180 pages is required to catalogue the collection. The exhibition, it is remarked, would have been all the better for a vigorous weeding out.

Mr. Franklin Simmons, the sculptor of the Logan monument, which is to be placed in the Lawn in Washington, has been superintending the erection of the bronze portrait. The equestrian statue, on the Washington Monument, is the first one to be made of bronze. The establishment, which is supported by United Journeymen, is bequeathed by an old fraternal organization and is further governed by leaders placed at the four corners. On the sides of the pedestal are two groups—high relief, which represent the civil and the military phases of Gen. Logan's life. In one he is shown dressed in the uniform of a major general, conferring with the officers of his command. On the opposite face he is represented taking the oath of Senator of the United States, and is surrounded by personal friends. The pedestal is 14 feet 11 inches long, 9 feet 11 inches wide, and 17 feet 6 inches high.

The Art Students' League of Washington, D. C., has elected the following officers: Miss Louise Mann, President; Mrs. Thomas Nelson Page, Vice President; Mr. W. R. Dalton, Second Vice-President; Miss Alice Solomons, Recording Secretary; Miss Louise Wainwright, Corresponding Secretary; and Miss Jackson, Treasurer.

THE HARVARD CREW.

The work of the Harvard 'Varsity crew has been progressing steadily and Mr. Leonard has put them in the new English shell for the first time. Thus far they have been rowing in a compromise barge which was used last week for a short row. Before going over to the shell. The men are very fond of paddling home in the new boat, as the rigging did not fit in some cases, but Mr. Leonard feels confident that the shell will prove satisfactory after some slight changes.

Though somewhat marked by its long journey, it has been thoroughly repaired and looks quite like new.

The men did not keep the best well for long at first, but soon steadied and showed a marked improvement at the end. J. Lawrence, at No. 3, though an inexperienced oar gives promise of turning out well. The two stern fours, Higginson and Biddle, being comparatively fast. Keep up a long, steady swing, and are not easily thrown off by the rest of the crew. The crew rowed in the following order: Stroke, Higginson; 7, Biddle; 6, J. F. Perkins; 5, Heath; 4, J. H. Perkins; 3, J. Lawrence; 2, Kernan, bow, H. Adams; coxswain, Pierce.

The second crew, captained by G. D. Marvin, 1900, is rowing under the coaching of Mr. Wise. Most of the men showed a good way to carry their slides, although the pace at stroke was not to rush and they were slowed to catch ahead of time. The order was as follows: Stroke, Delano; 7, Marvin; 6, Byrd; 5, Wildermuth; 4, Gadden; 3, Palmer; 2, Ide; bow, Dibbler; coxswain, Goodridge.

The Yale crew is expected on the Connecticut Friday for a second winter crew was abolished. This junior crew from now on will be constituted to freshmen, no oarsmen over being proposed.

SPECIFIC NOTES.

The college of the city of New York will hold its spring games on May 7, at Berkeley Oval. Many athletes of the prominent colleges are here at work training for the various events, and the games promise to be brilliant. Besides the usual closed events there will be several open track and bicycle contests. The open events are: One mile run for novices, one mile bicycle race for novices, and a two mile handicap race. Silver loving cups are offered as first, second and third prizes in the open events, and gold, silver and bronze medals in the closed events.

The Boston Journal says: The refusal of the Henley Committee to accept the entry of Yale's Ten-Oared Crew, of Worcester, has revived discussion upon the old question whether a race or sport is not conducted upon a higher level in England than it is here. Without taking definite sides upon the question all lovers of amateur athletics must recognize that our sport is by no means as pure as they want to have it.

"It is but a few years since our largest college men shed the last traces of professionalism, and even now there are scores of smaller institutions in the West and South where many forms of this taint are still unrecognized. Our athletic clubs, composed often of gentlemen with too little leisure, fit out their nines, and oarsmen meet rivals by sufferance, inducements to college players and other non-amateurs, which are not promptly to their credit. Hotel proprietors and managers of similar resorts appear to have little difficulty in letting ball players, especially those of college reputation, stop at their houses during the fashionable outing season. There are many running with amateurs and amateurs themselves, who are known to receive money for entrance. We even went so far as to assert that it was not strictly in accord with the highest principles of amateur sport for a boat club to offer to pay Ten Eyck's carpenter's bill.

"It is a very simple matter to reply that, according to our British cousins, when they refuse to regard as an 'amateur' any person who has ever taken part in a game for money, or has ever been a professional. Oxford or Cambridge has questioned the genuine amateur rating of the Varsity or Gorgoth, the Jesus and Britons cheerfully maintain our pleasant relations. Two years ago, in fact, instead of being hungry and, executing the Lupi eatless from Ireland, we sought to arrange a match race with Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery mixed tastes, tonic, alterative and nutritive properties, and in fact, all the elements necessary to the cure of the most obstinate cases of blood, skin, stomach and nervous diseases, the rich blood-purifier required.

## STATE JOTTINGS.

The "Quoddy Herald" is the latest Maine newspaper. It is edited at Lubec by Guy E. Brown and Martin R. Foster, both eleven years old, and it's a seller at five cents a copy.

A Portland merchant, in speaking of last week's pleasure trip of the schooner Pavilion in through the inside-closed channel, says when the wind was low he served several years on the schooner Pavilion, and about two months before the vessel was sold a new owner bought and had the sentiment of the concern that had always been under every owner, that was, to have a race every day and never allow her to pass on Sundays. This schooner now sails from Machias and is engaged in general coasting.

A Thomaston man has added to the marine record which he is saving up against the time when he will be the oldest inhabitant on account of how in the last week of April, 1898, it was so cold that he took a hot flatiron to bed with him in order to keep warm.

The Cape Elizabeth Sentinel remarks that the rumor that an explosion of one of the dynamite cartridges of the cruiser Minneapolis killed many and badly shocked the two front lands were picked up where the shell struck, sounds very much like a fish story, yet it contains a moisture upon which our fishermen might act. All a Gloucester banter needs to do in the future is to provide himself with a dynamite gun with which to bombard the Georges bank, after which he may land his chowder on the cooks with dead cod and halibut. Is it possible that our navy of '98 is destined to revolutionize the fisheries of the world, just as it did naval warfare in 1862?

Through the Narragagus Times, Harrington, claims to be the first town in the eastern part of the State to display the United States flag in the year with Spain in previous years, Harrington has borne all losing the part. In the second war with Great Britain, although the town contained but a small colony and the settlers widely scattered, the muster rolls contain the names of 11 of its citizens who fought for sailor's rights. With these deserves to be added the name of the valiant skipper, John Alden, who with his crew and the decks load of his top-sail schooner, fell a particular prey to that Hull famous for the elevade passed Hull famous for the victory won by capturing an English barge and killing two of the crew in the fight. In recognition of his bravery Congress gave the old seaman a sword upon which was inscribed an appropriate description. In the stirring days of 1812, Harrington contributed $7 volunteers to the President's first call, and when the city of Washington the town had furnished the total of 117 men for the army and navy.

EAST CORINTH NEWS.

Our correspondent writes: Rev. Mr. Hedges was in Bangor last week at the Conference.

Preparations are being made for a dissolution of the firm of McKenney & Shaubury. Mr. McKenney has disposed of his interests in the firm to Fred Sanford of this place, who will take possession immediately. This is one of the largest and most successful business men and is the incoming man is well and favorably known. He will soon locate and is the happy father of a fine baby boy.

Mrs. Hinckley, who has had a dressmaking room in the upper part of the Tibbido store, has moved away. We understand Charles Murraws is to occupy the rent. Mrs. Elden will move to the town house and Mr. Tibbido is to move into and occupy his present house, now occupied by Mrs. Elden.

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## CARIBOU NEWS.

### Farmers Jubilant Over Advance in Price of Potatoes.

Many Notes of Interest to People in Aroostook Gathered by Our Correspondent.

(Special to Whig and Courier.)

Caribou, May 3. Maj. de A. W. Spaulding went to Augusta last Thursday to attend to his duties as military secretary in connection with the mobilization of the State troops.

A. L. and W. F. Ireland went to Mardis Saturday on important business.

A ripple of excitement occurred on the street Saturday night caused by the burning out of one of the Arco Vaughan House chimneys. No damage was done, however.

In the list of nominations sent to the Senate by the President Friday, we note the name of J. W. Gary for postmaster at Caribou. Mr. Gary served in the same capacity under the Harrison administration to the general satisfaction of our town, who are all pleased at his reappointment and he is receiving congratulations from all sides.

Prof. E. O. Taylor, of Boston, who is making a tour of our State in the interests of temperance and for the enforcement of the prohibitory law, delivered three lectures in town, two Sunday and one Monday evening. Mr. Taylor is a talented lecturer. He held the closest attention of his eager audiences, and made a good impression, thereby, we hope, strengthening those who are most interested in this movement.

Both the Methodist and Universalist pulpits were vacant last Sunday, owing to the illness of the pastors, Rev. W. A. McCraw who left Bangor attending the annual conference of the M. E. church, and Rev. Stanford Mitchell, of the Universalist church, who is visiting friends in Boston and other places in Massachusetts.

Hon. Cyril C. Long returned Monday from Portland to attend the closing session of the Masonic Grand Lodge, which were held Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of this week in that city.

The arrival of Aroos ook who have potatoes on hand are jubilant over the advance in price during the past week. Many of the farmers in the town are selling Hebrons for $2.00 and $2.10 per barrel and there is an active demand for them at those prices.

## CAMDEN NEWS.

### Great Send-off for the Soldiers on Their Departure—Many Notes From Down the Bay.

(Special to Whig and Courier.)

Camden, May 3. There was no lack of excitement in town Monday morning over the report of the great victory of the Stars and Stripes over Spanish in Manila.

Mr. Hudson, D. Amos is the only man from Camden who is a member of Co. H, Tilton Light Infantry, but the boys have lots of friends here who will watch every movement with intense interest. They left on the early train Sunday morning for Augusta. Nearly every citizen in Rockland turned out to give our soldier boys a rousing sendoff, the pleasant memories of which will do much to lighten the pangs of departure. A number of ladies were busy all day filling the boys' haversacks with delicacies among which was a large cake with white frosting and in the centre were the letters "C. L. I." in red, white and blue. The action of the city government in voting to donate $5000 for the help of those who are dependent on the earnings of the laboring men who left, is one that should meet with universal commendation. Similar action should be taken in other towns for it is indeed a test of patriotism to cast good positions and under for a time all ties at home, and we can all realize that the ranks may be depleted before the return home.

In conversation with Capt. H. M. Bean, the ship builder, he said that the rumor which had been circulated in regard to the suspension of work on the new five-master schooner to be built in his yard was utterly false, and there never has been the least foundation for such an erroneous report. Mr. Bean is expecting the lumber from Virginia to arrive soon, when work will be commenced at once.

Mrs. Sarah Banks of New York City, has arrived in town and will occupy the attractive house on Enger Hill, owned by Mr. Henry B. Alden.

A ripple of excitement passed over the village Monday morning when it was reported that a Spanish cruiser was coming into the bay. The sensation was not as pleasant as some might apprehend. It soon proved however, to be the steamer Camden and her crew on board the Stowe Company, who are to put on Uncle Tom's Cabin at the Opera House last evening.

A very interesting ball game was played on the Knowlton grounds Saturday afternoon, between the Castines and Camdens. Mr. V. Dickson received a slight injury at the game to the Bay View House, where he is at present employed. Mr. Wiley Rose, market are to be found all of the delicacies of the season and without doubt it is one of the finest inland vegetable markets in the State.

Mrs. Sartelle, widow of the late Wm. S. Sartelle, of Camden, died Sunday at her late home on Elm street.

## JONESBORO NEWS.

### School Census Taken—Soldier Boys Go to Augusta—Notes.

(Special to Whig and Courier.)

Jonesboro, May 3. The schools opened here this week. There are five in town, the grammar being under the instruction of Mrs. Helena Wright of Wilton, just from Castine Normal School, she being one of the most successful teachers in the profession, who have all had good success in former years.

Supt. E. M. Wyman has been taking the school census and finds 242 scholars, an increase of 12 from last year.

Schooner Watchman, Capt. O. B. Bridgham, arrived this week, having been gone since last November. Capt. B. reports the freight business very dull.

The ice cutters on ponds from this town Monday, seven to Augusta to gather the United States army. The names are Lincoln Reynolds, Ernest Smith, Will Butterworth, Ernest Farnsworth, Walter Whiting, Eugene Wilson and Charles Gaylord. At the same time Ralph Noyes, Will White and James Keely started for Crow's Nest, British Columbia. All are young men of promise who will no doubt climb.

Schooner Ocean Romp arrived today from Rockland, having on board household goods for Mr. Noyes, who with his bride will start housekeeping next week.

Mr. Leet L. Norcliffe had the first finger of his right hand amputated last week, the same being taken from which the joint suffered much the past month. The operation was performed by Drs. Smith and Verrill, who had removed a tumor from the face of Mr. Howard Varney in this city last part of the day.

Mrs. Nora Varney, who has been sick for a long time, is gaining quite rapidly and at present time with prospects of full recovery.

## WOMAN WOULD BE A CONSUL.

Miss Coral Chaplin, Woodbine, Iowa, is the first woman to apply for a consul ship. She wants to go to the Swiss or German post and has procured a petition with 800 signers. Miss Woodbine is a fine linguist and a good business woman and shows by her ability in the latter direction by the skill with which she has managed for husband's estate since his death.

## INTERESTING EXPERIENCE

### Of an Iowa Lady Who Was Cured of Dyspepsia After Suffering for Twenty-five Years.

Mrs. Sarah A. Skeels, an estimable lady residing at Lyonville, Jasper Co., Iowa, was for twenty-five years a sufferer from Dyspepsia and her complete restoration to health is so remarkable that we present the facts in the case for the benefit of our readers, many of whom have doubtless suffered in the same manner and will, therefore, be interested in learning how all stomach troubles may be avoided and cured. Mrs. Skeels says: I used only one package of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets and I received such great and unexpected benefit that I wish to express my sincere gratitude. In fact it has been six months since I took the medicine and I have not had one particle of distress or difficulty since. And all this in face of the fact that the best doctors I consulted told me my case was incurable as I had suffered for twenty-five years. I want that a package to distribute among my friends here who are very anxious to try this remedy.

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## AMERICAN ENTERPRISE TALKS.

### What the London Papers Say of Prof. Munyon.

The London Pelican, in its issue of March 26, has the following to say of Prof. Munyon:

"Nothing succeeds like success, and certainly the progress of this business which Prof. Munyon has established in Shaftesbury avenue somewhere about a twelvemonth ago, goes far to prove the truth of the hoary-headed maxim. It is quite an experience to visit this huge place, where an army of typewriters are all day long, and the business of this huge American organization is conducted with clockwork-like precision and regularity.

"I am told that the professor has treated 170,284 persons during his seven months' stay here. How about the testimonials by post. Recipe that labo' this morning, what! the postage must have amounted to. Why this item alone must be very far on 1000 pounds. Then again, more than 2,000,000 bottles of medicine have been given away free during the past six months, at nearly 9,000,000 bottles have been sold. Such figures are bewildering.

"I understand that the truly colossal business is increasing by such leaps and bounds that the professor contemplates entering into negotiations for the requirement of Buckingham Palace or some other equally commodious hall, wherein to install his mighty staff, leaving apart however it must certainly be a good thing for London generally to have an enterprising firm of this sort to ourselves as well as good for suffering humanity in particular, for the cures effected by the Munyon specific are simply astounding. And the testimonials which have been showered upon the professor, they are thick as a veil in Williamstown, and are fabulously expensive in the Strand on fire-insurance days."

All of which matters point decisively to the fact that there must be something in Munyon's Magic Mixtures, for while the majority of people are ready enough to cry down those who attempt to cure them and who fail, they do not usually evince the same amount of anxiety to chip in the background to spend time and postage in sending their thanks to those by whom their sufferings are alleviated. The Professor's testimonials are certainly interesting, not alone on account of their number, but by reason of the fact that they come literally from all corners of the earth, and deal with pretty well every sort of ill under the sun that flesh is heir to.


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## The Funeral.

The funeral of Mrs. Timothy Nash took place on Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at her home in the city. Rev. Henry L. Griffin, of Hampden street church, conducted the services. A quartette composed of Miss Henry, Miss Gracien, W. A. Palmer and A. C. Morton sang. The pall bearers were Messrs. N. W. Littlefield, Robert Arnott, Edwin Bennett and A. L. Bourne. The funeral was conducted by Undertaker Hunt.

President Bradley of the Penobscot Central Railway Co. started for Lincoln on Tuesday noon to visit Kane Neag and East Corinth and to go over the entire line of the road on a preliminary inspection.

The candidates for the Bangor high school track and field team began training in Maplewood park under Capt. Hal Hunt on Tuesday. Director Stetson of the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium will train the team this year. Where the meet will be has not yet been announced, although the vote by mail by the different schools about the acceptance of the Bowdoin College proposition to take charge of the school athletic meet as was to have been done on April 30th.

The regular monthly meeting of the board of managers of the King's Daughters' Union will be held at the Home this afternoon at three o'clock.

The Aetna Fire Insurance Co. of Hartford, for which Burke, Bragg & Brown are the Bangor representatives, has issued the following patriotic bulletin: "Voted: That all persons now employed at the home or branch offices of this company, who are members of military or naval organizations of their respective State or the United States, shall, in the event of entering the active service of the United States in the war with Spain, have their salaries continued while engaged in said service during the term of their enlistment. They shall also, after honorable discharge, have opportunity to return to the employ of the company."

A concert and dance will be given in City Hall by R. H. Bean Relief Corps on Thursday evening, May 5. Pullen's orchestra has been engaged. Refreshments will be served. Tickets printed May 6 will be accepted, the date being an error.

A quiet wedding took place at the house of Mrs. L. Wadlin, Lake View, Sunday evening, April 30th, when Mr. William Latham and Rosetta Flowers, both formerly from St. John, N. B., were united in marriage by Rev. J. R. Hemick, A.M.

The Portland Sunday Times says of Miss Mary Sellon McCobb's lecture on Shakespeare: "It was a real pleasure from the beginning to the end and she held the earnest attention of her audience for more than an hour, while telling in her own spirited way, something of the life and career of that most interesting personality, Fritz Otto Nansen. Miss McCobb reads delightfully that her hearers were absorbed, and held in breathless attention, as she described many pathetic or thrilling events in the life of this Norwegian hero." This lecture will be given in the parish rooms of St. John's church on Monday evening, May 9th.

Miss Mabelle Woodside of Bear Lodge, Green Lake, the guest of Miss Cora A. Chapman


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## ATHENAEUM.

### Annual Meeting Held on Tuesday Forenoon.

#### Officers Elected—Committees Appointed—Interesting Reports by Mrs. Henry M. Laugh.

The annual meeting of the Athenaeum Club was held in the Y. M. C. A. lecture room, Tuesday forenoon, beginning at 10 o'clock. In the absence of the president, Mrs. Hannibal Hamlin, Mrs. George Webster, presided. The meeting was largely attended.

The following officers were elected: Mrs. Hannibal Hamlin, president; Mrs. N. R. Bragg, first vice president; Mrs. George Webster, second vice president; Mrs. Henry McLaughlin, secretary; Mrs. W. W. Stanley, treasurer; Mrs. H. G. Stickney, auditor; Mrs. D. L. Fabyan, Mrs. J. G. Blake, Miss Ada Gilman and Mrs. J. F. Snow, executive committee.

The report of Miss Newman, chairman of the educational committee in regard to the pictures which the club has presented to the public schools, was read and accepted.

The treasurer's report showed the club's finances to be in excellent condition.

Mrs. Henry McLaughlin, the secretary, presented her annual report which was very interesting. It was as follows:

That the present century as a woman's century cannot be denied, and in no direction is this more fully shown than in its women's clubs, reaching as they do every department of life, and offering a helping hand in all her needs—broadening her horizon, exalting and realizing her ideals, and fostering in her mind a clear, fair and sympathetic estimate. A glorious sisterhood, devoted to good works.

To quote from a recent article, "Women's clubs cover a startlingly wide range. There are political clubs, suffrage clubs, clubs for women of the stage and women who write, study clubs of various kinds, clubs for the study of children, art clubs, philanthropic and literary organizations, and almost everything even to one of the very latest organizations, the 'Woman's Klondike Exploration Syndicate.' It would be ridiculed one might almost say, "Does any life get away from her?" The answer can best be made, the 'life' of the club has come to mean a specific organization, and, it seems to me right here we should pause and ask: Does this apply to us? Are we living too closely within the limits of our borders? In the six years of our club life have our sympathies broadened, and are helpful influences been extended to the world at large, commensurate with the years of our existence as a club, and our opportunities to become a force in the progressive trend of the day? In our club free from the truthfulness of this accusation? If not, can we not the coming year extend the bounds of our activity, so as to lend aid in our work, some of the vital questions which affect the mass of struggling humanity, whose perspective of life and its opportunities is so sadly foreshadowed.

If we have fallen into circles or restricted ways, let us take a fresh start and try our best to live up to the altruistic clauses in our constitution—to promote the interests of the community at large." The true spirit of club work is self-less, and in the helpfulness we shall all grow, for as I regret writer says, "It is impossible for us to accustom ourselves to large views of life, and remain narrow and petty ourselves."

I hope I may be pardoned if my ideas should seem aggressive and perhaps revolutionary, but I cannot help feeling that we have a splendid root with fine growing qualities, and all we need is the force to push upward and outward to obtain a vigorous growth and an abundant harvest. Yet are ourselves, the faithful women, let each one consider it for herself.

There is one method of growth which does not find favor, especially in our club. I refer to discussions at our meetings. Very many of our members, though holding decided opinions, distrust their own powers of expression, perhaps, and so it falls on the very few who have acquired the necessary confidence, or on whose intense enthusiasm urges them to their feet. If some will only overcome the diffidence of the clubs recently built in Massachusetts, that every applicant for club membership should be required to pass civil service examination, first to test if she had an opinion; and second, if she had the power to express it? Let no one be deterred, however, from joining a club because she may be a "silent people," for it is an established fact that the quiet woman who looks and ponders, although inexpressive, does the most judicious, effectual and conscientious work on the committees, and is a most valuable factor in the audiences. She fills her place as well as the talkers. Both are needed, but I might not a freer discussion help the topics presented at our meetings strengthen the bond between our members and increase their interest in the club work?

In making a body as ours some change must occur, and early in the year our hearts were saddened by the death of Mrs. Maria L. Gilman and Miss Grace T. Hennessy, two of our earnest, helpful women whose loss it is hard to bear. Some of our members having withdrawn, their places were filled from our waiting list, and the work of the club has gone on without interruption. The resignation of Miss Mary H. Merrill as treasurer was regretted by all, but the duties of the office have been ably performed by her successor, Mrs. W. W. Stanley.

The most memorable event in the annals of our club life during the past year was the meeting of the Federation of Women's Clubs, made possible by the united efforts of the members of the Athenaeum. Nineteenth Century Non-sectarian Kindergarten Circle, whose earnest and untiring energy and kindly hospitality made it so great a success. The meetings were held on the 6th, 7th and 8th of October, in the Unitarian church. 87 delegates were present from 30 clubs, and under the wise direction of the president, Mrs. Briggs, of Auburn, and executive proved a most delightful assignment at the time, and an inspiration for future guidance. The various committees in charge of the regular meetings of the club are provided for our entertainment and improvement to the best of their ability. Under the auspices of the Art, Educational, Current Events and Science committees, lectures have been given by Miss Alvina Stetson, Prof. Hinckley of the University of Maine, Profs. White and Dame of our High school, and by our own incomparable Miss Mary S. Snow, whose words fall on earnest purpose and enthusiasm born of high ideals, carry conviction to every heart.

In this connection we must refer to the music committee, which has proved itself useful ness by entertaining at various times our members and our guests, among whom were the school teachers of our city and the Woman's club of Orono.

The Educational committee, whose work as you know extends through the school year, have given faithful and efficient service. A sum of $100 was voted them, which they have used judiciously for the needs of our schools. They have procured books for the school library, casts for use in the classes, and pictures for decoration. They have done well what their hands found to do, and they deserve your hearty commendation.

Under the guidance of the Literature committee, aided by efficient assistance with the Home Library of England and found the time well spent, while the good advice and hysterical aid submitted for our consideration on the Domestic Economy and Sports committees proved productive of many a dinner beautiful.

Music, as it has been termed the Entertainment committee, provided a concert in January, which presented to us Miss Harriet A. Shaw and Mrs. Wallo Higgins, both artists of reputation; while the Music committee of our club demonstrated in a creditable manner that it is not necessary to go far afield to procure talent of the first quality. Mrs. Caroline E. Hamlin's lecture on "The Great Symphonies" was a most delightful feature of the meeting.

And thus we may be pardoned if we record with pride and satisfaction the work our club has done in the past in the line of music. Two years ago its influence brought to our city the Adamowski quartette—peers among musicians. One year ago, when the Portland Club, unbeknown action which deserves much praise, needed assistance, our club's material was thrown in the breach and the result was a musical festival of very superior excellence. Our club has always brought good music to Bangor, and the credit for the revival of musical interest, and the advancement of musical culture among us must be conceded to the Athena Club.

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## Personal Mention.

Capt. George Dudley, of Winterport, was at the Bangor House on Tuesday.

Rev. Earl B. Wood, of Fort Fairfield, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Wood, on Court street.

Mr. M. C. Foster, of Whitefield, was in Bangor on Tuesday.

Mr. Ralph P. Pilsted went to Augusta on Tuesday for a short visit.

Mr. George B. Babson, of Foxcroft, was at the Bangor House on Tuesday.

F. H. Towne, of Waterville, was at the Bangor House on Tuesday.

Mrs. Frank Hinckley is at The Brunswick, Boston, for a few days.

Madam Perkins and Mrs. C. H. Godfrey are in Boston for a few weeks.

Mrs. W. W. Case, of Rockland, returned home Tuesday, after a short visit in Bangor.

Miss Henrietta L. Reed went to Greenville, to prepare the Crow's Nest for the spring festivities.

Mr. L. A. Folsom of Greenville, was in the city yesterday.

B. D. Soule, Esq., of Dixmont, was in the city yesterday.

Revival services will be conducted at the Grace M. E. church on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday evenings, and on the afternoons of Thursday and Friday at 3 o'clock, by the Calvin A. Evangelists, Mr. and Mrs. Herring, who have been so much enjoyed during the absence of the East Maine Conference.

## JOHN KEENAN DROWNED.

### Harness Maker Loses His Life on The Ellyo.

John Keenan, who lived on Birch street, Bangor, was drowned at Grand Lake dam on the East Branch on Monday. He was in one of Murphy's crews at work on the drive there. While working on a jam he lost his hold and went under the logs. His body was recovered and sent to Bangor where it arrived at noon on Tuesday, and was taken in charge by Undertaker Finnigan.

Keenan was about eighteen years of age and leaves, besides his parents, several brothers and sisters.

## AN UNIQUE GAME.

### One to Refresh the Memory on Plays of Shakespeare.

The Shakespeare Club of Camden, Maine, have issued a game compiled by Miss Alice Cushing, who has many friends in Bangor, from plays and characters of Shakespeare. It is copyrighted, attractive, prettily got up, and interesting to young and old. It can be played by any number, or used as a study in the home. As a sample the cards read as follows:

OPHELIA.

What spoke last for mind after the death of her father and developed a fondness for flowers and singing?

Who said?

"Rich gifts wax poor when givers prove unkind."

HAMLET, THE PLAY.

Into that play was Edwin Booth best known?

Where is the following quotation?

"A little more than kin and less than kind."

There are 40 or more questions on each card, sixty cards in a pack. Answers are found at the top of each. The Shakespeare Club of Camden, can supply them to all desiring the game.

## HIS LEG IS STILL GROWING.

### It Gets Longer and Longer, and He Can't Stop It.

A man out at Rogers park broke his leg a few months ago, and in the setting the doctor made some mistake, or else the patient was at fault for when it set the bone joined improperly, and when the man came to walk he found that one leg was several inches shorter than it should be. He was naturally very much incensed indeed and bemoaned the fact that he was to be a cripple for life. One day while he was alone at the house a woman book canvasser was admitted. After she had failed to sell him what she had come to sell she asked him what the matter was. He told her and said that he feared he would be a cripple for life.

"Humph!" said the woman. "There is no need of that now since Christian science is doing so much!"

"I have heard a great deal about Christian science," said the man, "but I never heard that it could cure a trouble like mine."

"Why not?" asked the woman. "It is doing greater things than that every day. You would better go see a healer."

"But there is none here," replied the man.

"Well," said the woman, "I'm something of a healer myself. I can't stay here, but I'll tell you what I'll do. I'll give you the best cure. You just stay where you are, and I'll cure your shortness." She then went away.

The man smiled, but he thought there might be something in it after all. So he began to have faith in the healer. In a few days, however, he had almost forgotten all about it until he told his wife about the matter. At the end of two weeks he arose to a standing position and discovered to his great astonishment that his shorter leg was nearly as long as the other. He was delighted.

"That woman was all right," he said to his wife, "and I have done her a great injustice in smiling in my disbelief." In a fortnight more both legs were of equal length. He left his room for the first time in several months and went to business. He proudly showed his leg to all his friends and told every one of the marvelous means by which he recovered. Everything went well for a time, but presently the man made the astonishing discovery that the injured limb was still growing. In another two weeks it was fully two inches longer than the one which had not been broken and that it was the well leg on which he now limped.

This naturally worried him very much. You see, there was no telling where it would end. Then he recollected, too, that he had let the healer who the healer was, or where he could find her. He could not even remember the name of the book she was trying to sell. And that is how the matter now stands. The man's leg is still growing. That woman is still gadding around the country selling books and giving him the absent treatment. If he does find her, she will have to begin on the other leg, and even then the man will only be fit for the dime museum. The man's faith in the new science is not all unbroken, but he feels that the healers should be securely anchored and kept within certain bounds.—Chicago Chronicle.

New York has a shop in which Bibles and rum are sold side by side. The place is at the foot of Washington street, not far from the Syrian colony, and its patrons include Syrians, Armenians, Turks, Russians and Irish degenerates. The Bibles, Koran or what other books of a religious character, are kept in a case at the end of the bar.

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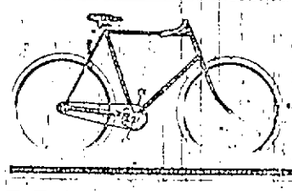

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### Notice of Petition for Discharge.

STATE OF MAINE.

Penobscot ss. Court of Insolvency.

In the case of JOSEPH SYLVESTER, of Bangor, in said County of Penobscot, an insolvent debtor. Stephens & Mitchell, counsel for petitioner, and Charles W. Stephens, of counsel.

Notice is hereby given that a petition has been presented to said Court for the discharge of said Joseph Sylvester as an insolvent debtor, and that a hearing will be had upon said petition before said Court, at the Probate Office in said County of Penobscot, on the 16th day of May, A. D. 1898, at ten o'clock before noon, at which time and place any creditor of said debtor may appear and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted, and debtor be discharged from his debts, pursuant to the prayer of his petition.

Attest: AMOS L. ALLEN,
Register of said Court for said county.

### COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

TAXATION of Real Estate, A. D. 1898.

We, the undersigned, appointed by the Hon. Supreme Judicial Court of the State of Maine, for the County of Penobscot, to revise the valuation of the several cities and towns in said County, hereby give notice that we will meet for the purpose aforesaid, at the office of the Treasurer of the City of Bangor, in said County, on Tuesday, the 17th day of May, A. D. 1898, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, and will continue in session for the space of three days at least, for the purpose aforesaid, and that we will remain in the County of Penobscot for the space of two successive weeks, to wit, the seven days at least before said 17th day of May, and the seven days next following, for the purpose aforesaid, and that all creditors who have their debts, and other persons interested, may then and there appear before us, if they think proper.

JOHN E. FRENCH,
HENRY P. HILL,
Commissioners.